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ROLL OF HONOUR.

FITZGERALD—July 25, 1916, died of wounds at the Military Hospital, Lincoln, Second Lieutenant MAURICE J. PENROSE FITZGERALD, aged 22, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Penrose Fitz-Gerald, of The Grange, Midleton, Co. Cork. Greatly beloved.

GEOGHEGAN—Killed in action, ARTHUR DUDGEON GEOGHEGAN (The Afrikanders), fourth son of William Henry Geoghegan, M.A., LL.D., T.C.D.

GLASS—July 9, 1916, killed in action, WILLIAM PATRICK, Canadian Infantry, youngest son of the late HUGH GLASS and Mrs. GLASS, Clogher, Co. Tyrone.

POTTERTON—July 24, 1916, killed in action, WILLIAM HUBERT POTTERTON, Lieutenant Royal Engineers, aged 24, eldest son of William and Kathleen Potterton, 1 Palmerston Park, Dublin.

SEVERS—July 1, 1916, killed in action, WILLIAM GEORGE, second son of E. H. SEVERS, 6 Moyne road, Rathmines, Dublin, aged 19.

YOUNG—July 1, 1916, killed in action, ROBERT FEARON YOUNG, aged 22, son of late James Young, Garienane, Bailieborough. Deeply regretted.

BIRTHS.

CABELL, July 20, 1916, at Ballyroan, Queen's Co., the wife of P. VICTOR CABELL, of Llandilo, Wales, a daughter.

DAVIES—July 23, 1916, at Las Palmas, Grand Canary, the wife of DUDLEY DAVIES, of a daughter.

DOWD—July 27, 1916, at Dorset Lodge, Killiney, the wife of HENRY L. DOWD, of a son.

GILLING—July 25, 1916, at "Sandymount," Truscott avenue, Bournemouth, England, to Mr. and Mrs. JAMES H. GILLING, a daughter.

MACKAY—July 26, 1916, at No. 5 Mount street Crescent, Dublin, the wife of WILLIAM T. MACKAY, Solicitor, 1 Claremont Villas, Glenageary, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

REANEY AND STUART—July 19, 1916, at Christ Church, Gorey, by the Rev. W. H. T. Gahan, B.A., Rector of Gorey, WILLIAM MILLAR, son of ALEXANDER REANEY, of 10 Golder's Gardens, London, to ANNIE (NAN), daughter of WILLIAM STUART, of Gorey.

DEATHS.

CRAIG—July 25, 1916, at 193 Ham Park road, Forest Gate, London, JAMES JOSEPH CRAIG, second son of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Craig, aged 22 years.

DOYNE—July 27, 1916, at 29 Wellington Court, Knightsbridge, NANNY, widow of the late RICHARD VIGORS DOYNE.

GANNON—July 26, 1916, at Ardee, BERNARD JOSEPH, youngest son of the late JAMES and MARY GANNON, Castlebellingham, and brother of Rev. M. Gannon, C.M., Sydney, and of late Rev. P. Gannon, O.P. Funeral to-day (Friday), 28th July, 1916, at 1.30 o'clock, from St. Mary's, Ardee, to Kilsaran. R.I.P.

HALL—July 27, 1916, after a long illness, THOMAS HALL, Killester Park, Raheny. Deeply regretted by his sorrowing wife, family, and a large circle of friends. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) morning, after short Service, at 9 o'clock, from Clontarf Parish Church, Seafield road, to Glasnevin Cemetery.

HUNTER—July 25, 1916, at her residence, Abbeyville, Abbeyshrule, Co. Longford, ELLEN HUNTER, aged 91 years. "For ever with the Lord."

METCALFE—July 22, 1916, at his residence, 207 Sea Bank road, New Brighton, Cheshire, after a short illness, ROBERT METCALFE, late of Dublin. "To be with Christ."

MORRISON—July 27, 1916, at 44 Northumberland avenue, Kingstown, ANNA CATHERINE, the loved wife of JOHN W. MORRISON, formerly of St. Peter's place, Drogheda.

ROBINSON—July 27, 1916, at Letterdyfe House, Roundstone, HENRY ARTHUR, aged 66, dearly beloved husband of ANNIE M. ROBINSON, and eldest son of the late George James Robinson, of Thomastown House, Ballyglass, Co. Mayo. Funeral at Roundstone, 3 o'clock, to-morrow (Saturday).

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

Mrs. ARMSTRONG and family, 61 Cabra Park, return sincere thanks to their numerous friends who sympathised with them in their recent sad bereavement.

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GROCER'S Assistants—Wanted, first class Men; living out. Apply Nagle's, Cathedral street. D

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GOOD Blouse Maker Wanted, also Improvers. Apply M. McCarthy, 19 Clare st.

GOOD Needleworkers, Sprigging, etc., Wanted for ladies' fine underwear.—H 439, this office. D

GIRL Wanted at once for Bar in a Country HOTEL, near Ballinrobe; comfortable home; Protestant preferred. State lowest salary and references to "Z 871, Girl," this office. C

HOTEL—Young Lady required for Dispense and assist in Office; must have good experience in hotel. Reference, age, etc., to Grand Hotel, Malahide, Co. Dublin. B

HOTEL Waitresses for Coffee Room. Apply, stating age and reference, Railway Hotel, Mallaranny. C

HOSPITAL and Asylum Service (England); experience unnecessary; particulars of Nursing appointments free.—Campbell, Windy Arbour, Dublin. C

HOTEL Superintendent for Coffee Room, good carver, required at once. Reply, stating age, reference, Railway Hotel, Mallaranny. C

HOTELS—Barmaid, Head Waiter, Boots, Kitchenporters, Billiardmarker, 6 Cooks, 7 Waitresses, Housemaids, 10 Kitchenmaids, Stillroom, Pantry, Staffmaids, Staffwaiter, Pantryboy.—Brophy's, 12a D'Olier st.

HANDYMAN—Wanted, a good Handyman, who can do slating, sewerage, and concrete work, etc.; good wages will be paid.—H 444, this office. D

HOTEL Waiter, Waitresses, Chef, Page, Shorthand Typist, Kitchen, Stillmaids, Housemaids, Scullerymaids Wanted to-day.—5 South Frederick st.

JUNIOR Clerk—Alex. Moon, Galway, requires young Lady as Clerk; good writer and quick at figures. Apply, stating age (indoor), with reference. C

JUNIOR Typist Wanted, City Office; state experience and salary expected.—H 275, this office. C

JUNIOR Office ASSISTANT, with some experience, required; send references, stating salary.—Hannon and Sons, Millers, Athy. D

LADY requires young Useful Help, daily or indoor; maid kept. Call, between one and five, 14 Gilford road, Sandymount. C

LEVERETT and Frye, Ltd., Bray, have vacancy for a GROCERY and Provision Hand; must have had high class store experience; aged about 25 years. Apply personally. D

LADY Assistant Wanted to Provision and Grocery Business; indoor; city; state references and wages.—H 437, this office.

LADY Bookkeeper Wanted, Family GROCERY, Northside; experienced; particulars—H 511, this office. E

LADY Wanted for Stables; 1 horse, 1 pony; must be thoroughly experienced in all stable work and driving. Address "Z 885, Lady," this office. 6 28

LIGHT Porter required; accustomed to Drapery Trade preferred; must be well recommended.—H 496, this office. E

MILLINERY—Experienced young Lady for Millinery Sales. Apply, personally, A. Stevenson, 48 Henry st.

MILLINERY and Sales—Wanted, for South, experienced Milliner and Saleswoman, to take Charge of Department; Protestant. Apply, with copies of references, age, religion, and salary expected, to "Z 780, Milliner," this office. 6 25

MILLINERY—Wanted smart SALESWOMAN for house doing good class trade (Southern city); state experience and salary (outdoor). Address "Z 819, Saleswoman," this office. C

MANTLE Department—Wanted, a young MAN as Cheap; must be capable and have good experience. F. Carlile and Co., Ltd., Belfast. B

NURSE Attendant Wanted to take complete charge of old Lady; middle aged woman for lonely country place; must be strictly sober and I.C.; liberal salary to suitable person.—H 424, this office. D

NURSE Probationer Wanted for Rostrevor Sanatorium; small salary given. Apply Steede, Warrenpoint. C

NURSE Housekeeper, attending rheumatic lady, generally useful, Protestant; give experience, references, salary; 1st August, fortnight. Address "Z 905, Nurse," this office. E

POST Office Assistant required shortly, City Sub-Office (Telegraph); must understand all duties and be able to take entire charge, also Savings Bank; Protestant; state wages, indoor and outdoor. Apply H 344, this office. C

PHOTOGRAPHY—Clever Retoucher Wanted immediately; good salary.—H 373, this office. D

POST Office—Wanted, Female Clerk, Protestant; Sounder instrument. Apply, with particulars and reference, to "Z 864, Assistant," this office. 6 27

PROBATIONERS Wanted, Babies' Home, Belfast, to train as Children's Nurses; fee £15, six months. Apply Dr. Ella Bell, 4 College Gardens, Belfast.

REQUIRED at once, Nurse Companion for Mental Case; country. Address "Z 837, Companion," this office. D

PHOTOGRAPHY—Wanted, Operator of exceptional ability, to take entire charge of Studio; replies treated in strict confidence. Apply Lan-fere, 30 Westmoreland st. D

PHOTOGRAPHY—Wanted, Girl to work up Sketch Photographs; must have first class experience.—Lan-fere, 30 Westmoreland st. E

REFINED young Lady Wanted, R.C., as Mother's HELP; maid kept; well recommended.—H 540, this office. D

SEXTON Wanted, C.I. For particulars apply to J. E. Chapman, Tramore. B

SALESMAN—Alex. Moon, Galway, requires a smart Junior for Hats and Readymades; good appearance and address. Apply, with references, stating salary (indoor). C

SAW Sharpener, Man with experience of circular band and hand saw work. Reply, stating experience, age, and wages expected, Booth Brothers, Upper Stephen st. Dublin. C

SUPERINTENDENT—Robertson, Ledlie, Ferguson, and Co., Ltd., Belfast, require a Man of experience and good appearance as Superintendent for their Retail. Apply, in first instance, by letter, stating age, full experience, and salary required (outdoor), to Mr. Brown, Manager. C

SHORTHAND Typist, Girl (R.C.), inexperienced, good Shorthand Typist (Touch system) Wanted for Dublin College; small commencing salary.—H 429, this office. D

SAWMILL Foreman Wanted for Box Factory; should have good knowledge of getting out boxwood orders, cutting, etc.; man having experience of native timber preferred. Apply with testimonials, and saying wages required, to "Z 835, Foreman," this office. D

SAWYER—Circular Man Wanted, experienced in cutting native timber at push bench; good wages to first class man. Apply Thomas Archer, New Wapping st., Dublin. D

STORE Clerk Wanted by Wholesale TEA and Wine Merchants in City; must have some experience of the business.—H 475, this office. D

STRONG Youth as Messenger; able to ride bicycle; wages 8/-.—H 495, this office. E

SMART Lad Wanted for OFFICE; good writer.—H 330, this office. D

TWO Drivers Wanted for Steam Waggons; experienced and steady men. State qualifications and wage to Goodearl Bros., Navan. C

TAILORS—First class Men for Ladies' Coats and Habits.—Mumford, Suffolk st. D

VIOLONIST for city Picture House; must be good reader; state terms, references, etc.; for evening work; immediate.—H 522, this office. D

WANTED, a BOOKKEEPER, Grocery Trade, South; state experience, age, and salary expected. Address "Z 639, Bookkeeper," this office. 5 21

WATCHMAKER—Manager Wanted immediately for a Southern provincial town; must work at bench, turn, etc.; salary given £3 per week; must have excellent references. Address, with full particulars, to "Z 596, Watchmaker," this office. 5 21

WANTED immediately, Waitress. Apply, stating experience, age, and salary required, to Secretary, County Club, Galway. 5 22

WANTED, first class Cycle Mechanic; good wages to suitable man. Apply Brandon, Abbeyleix. 5 22

WANTED, Post Office ASSISTANT, elderly, reliable, for Sub Office, County Cork; very good home to suitable person; Protestant preferred. Address "Z 771, Assistant," this office. B

WANTED, Junior SALESMAN for Gents' Outfitting. Apply M'Evoy's, 106 Talbot street. D

WANTED, reliable, trustworthy young Girl, Protestant, ASSISTANT for Drapery and Stationery (indoor); good references; Dublin suburbs. Address "Z 850, Assistant," this office. D

WANTED, young Man or Lady for Manchester Department; good class trade; near Dublin; Protestant; state salary, experience.—H 407, this office. D

WANTED, 2 respectable smart GIRLS just left school to learn Glass, China, and Hardware Trade; must be well educated. Apply in own handwriting, The Monster China Stores, Henry st., Dublin. D

WANTED, young Man to take Charge of a Set of Books; must be quick and write a good hand; a young man from the country preferred. Apply, stating age, salary and giving references, to "Z 846, Man," this office. D

WANTED, experienced Saleswoman for Hosiery and Blouse Departments.—Bergin and Co., Upper Baggot st. D

WATCHMAN, Army or Police Pensioner, for Sawmill; qualified to tidy up and clean machines. Apply Thomas Archer, New Wapping st., Dublin. D

WANTED, respectable Boy as Apprentice to select Grocery, Provision, and Fruit Trades; terms, two years and paid third year. Apply, with full particulars, Stewart's Stores, Athlone.

WANTED, Lady Shorthand TYPIST for Merchant's Office; R.C.; must have previous experience, also complete knowledge of Office routine. Apply, stating salary required, also copy last reference, "Z 452, this office."

WANTED, Educated Girl leaving school, of good appearance, to train as receptionist in first class PHOTOGRAPHERS. Apply Lan-fere, 30 Westmoreland st. E

WHOLESALE Trade—COLLECTOR and Salesman Wanted; good opening for energetic young man. Reply, stating age, experience, H 479, this office. E

WANTED, by R.C. Irish Lady in England, domesticated Mother's Help; understand children; fare paid. Age, references, salary required to "Z 872, Help," this office. E

WATCHMAKER—Wanted, city, steady Man; proficient turning, pivoting, etc.—H 505, this office. E

WATCHMAKER Wanted, for city firm; good wages to competent man. Apply, with copies of testimonials, to H 538, this office. D

YOUNG Girls Wanted as Apprentices to DRESSMAKING; pocket money given; no fee, 4 Grafton st.; also Improvers. E

YOUNG Lady Assistants Wanted for BLOUSES, also for Gentlemen's Outfitting.—Kidd, Exchequer st. E

YOUNG Girl required, aged 17 to 19, to keep small set of BOOKS and assist at counter work; must write a good hand and be quick at figures; previous experience not necessary. Apply Leverett and Frye, Ltd., 81 Rathmines road.

YOUNG Lady required for BAR. Apply Manageress, Atlantic Hotel, Lisdoonvarna. 5 26

YOUNG Lady Wanted, age 18 to 21, for Glass and CHINA Trade; preference given to one with experience and used to dressing windows. Apply between 10.30 and 1.30, with full particulars, 27 South Great George's street.

REPRESENTATIVES WANTED

AGENTS Wanted to Sell profitable Goods of every kind; catalogue free.—May (190), George st., Birmingham. T

MONEY Making Side Line offered to Traveller calling upon electric light users in Dublin and Counties Cork and Limerick; a gentleman with good connection can easily make a comfortable income; no liability or collection of accounts. Apply "Z 893, Side Line," this office. E

WANTED, an Agent, with sound connection amongst Outfitters and Tailors, to Represent a Dublin Firm of Clothing Manufacturers for the Cut, Make, and Trim Trade; liberal terms. Apply H 362, this office. D

AGENCIES AND SITUATIONS WANTED

GENTLEMAN of experience, just disengaged, is now open to engagement as Traveller or Agent; has lengthy experience and good connection with wine merchants, wholesale and retail grocers; first class references from last employer.—H 302, this office. C

CLERICAL.

COUNTRY Rector wishes Exchange or Curacy in Charge; would take light Curacy in Dublin.—H 270, this office.

CLERICAL—Locum Tenens required, August, beautiful Rectory, near Strangford Lough; bring servants; duty light.—Farrington, Lorely, Bangor, Down.

CURATE Wanted for United Parishes of Santry and Glasnevin, Dublin. Apply Rev. R. A. Byrn, Santry Rectory, Dublin.

LEGAL.

REQUIRED for Solicitor's and Land Agency Office, Dublin, experienced Accountant, who understands land agency work and collect rents under supervision; gentleman preferred; Protestant; ineligible for war purposes. Apply, stating terms, to "Z 746, Accountant," this office. C

SOLICITOR'S Practice for Sale (South), a well established Office; owner retiring, would Sell or take Partner. Address "Z 761, Practice," this office. 5 25

MEDICAL.

ABOUT Pharmaceutical Exams.—Classes resume full work August 1st; all subjects; practical work a speciality; moderate fees; 30 per cent. successes.—J. A. Ray, B.A., M.P.S.I., 34 South Frederick street, Dublin. B

APPRENTICE—We have an opening for a well educated Lad of good character.—McMaster, Hodgson, and Co.

DENTAL Mechanic, also Improver, good extractor; state salary, etc. Address "Dental," Telegraph Office, Derry. 5 27

FIRST Class Dental Mechanic wanted for Provincial Town; state salary and experience.—H 248, this office. B

JUNIOR Assistant required for High Class Pharmacy in large provincial town, South. State when disengaged, enclose copies testimonials, and state salary expected (outdoor), to "Z 770, Assistant," this office. B

JUNIOR Assistant Wanted at once, Dublin, seaside; state full particulars, salary (indoor). Address "Z 892, Junior," this office. E

JUNIOR Assistant for front Counter required immediately; state salary, and send copies testimonials.—Laird's, Chemists, Limerick. 5 28

LOCUM, Qualified Chemist; highest references; free for Locums, August and September. Address "Z 767, Locum," this office.

MEDICAL—Qualified Lady Assistant Wanted (indoor) for general practice with Hospital, Public Health, School, and other appointments. Apply, stating fullest particulars and salary required, to John Tobin, M.D., Ilkeston, Derbyshire. 6 24

MEDICAL Hall for Sale, important Dublin thoroughfare; old established house, adjoining leading doctors' quarter.—C/o Fannin, 41 Grafton street. C

MASSEUSE would give Treatment in return for Change of Air, month of August; travelling expenses.—H 482, this office. E

MEDICAL Hall for Sale, as a Going Concern, country town, near Dublin; good reasons given for disposal. Address "Z 828, Hall," this office. D

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist Wanted; state age, religion, salary (indoor), when disengaged. Address "Z 870, Chemist," this office. D

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist (Lady), varied experience, exceptional references, desires position. Address "Z 897, Chemist," this office. 5 28

WANTED by city Pharmacy, Qualified Chemist, capable; state salary, etc.—H 430, this office. D

EMPLOYMENT WANTED.

A YOUNG Man (age 26) desires position, thorough knowledge bookkeeping, accountancy, and general office routine, or would go as Traveller; ten years' all round experience; excellent credentials.—H 173, this office. C

BOOKKEEPER, Cashier—Lady, experienced, thoroughly competent, desires post.—H 333, this office. C

BOOKKEEPER, first class general office experience, capable taking control; young man desiring change.—H 533, this office.

CONSTABULARY Pensioner desires employment as Timekeeper, Collector, or other position of trust.—H 158, this office.

CARPENTER wants work, city.—H 255, this office.

COMPANION, Useful Help—Young Lady, Protestant, wishes position; good testimonials; £12. Address "Z 863, Help," this office. D

CLERK, 8 years' experience, general, desires change; willing to make himself useful; age 25.—H 527, this office. E

EXPERIENCED Lady Bookkeeper, Shorthand Typist, desires post; present engaged; good references.—H 197, this office. B

GROCERY, Provisions Assistant, 8 years' experience, desires engagement; highest references.—H 302, this office.

HOTEL or Restaurant Manager seeks re-engagement, or any position of trust; excellent references.—Skinner, Post Office, Monasterevan. C

LADY wishes to go as Companion; salary not so much an object as comfortable home. Address "Z 760, Companion," this office. D

LADY Help, Housekeeping, Nursery Governess, Nursing, or any position of trust, R.C.; highly recommended.—H 516, this office. E

MOTHER'S Help, young, or Nursery Governess, understands all housework, Protestant; well recommended.—Winnett's, Dalkey.

N.C.O.'s Widow, Protestant, wishes Offices to care, or Gate Lodge; best references; no incumbrance; in or near Dublin.—Mrs. Russell, c/o Mrs. Peirs, Montpelier Hill.

REPLIES to Advertisements addressed to letter and number at "Irish Times" Office must not contain original papers or testimonials. Copies only should be enclosed. T

TRAINED Nurse (Protestant) desires Case, chronic or otherwise; excellent references. Address "Z 849, Nurse," this office. D

USEFUL Man for Domestic and Mechanical work.—Long, Foundry st., Mountmellick, Queen's Co. 5 25

USEFUL Lady Help, would do Housemaid's work and needlework in house where servant kept; small salary. Address "Z 857, Help," this office. D

WAITRESS, first class Commercial and Coffee Room experience, wishes re-engagement in good commercial hotel; highly recommended; excellent references.—H 192, this office. C

YOUNG Lady desires post Junior Milliner; 4 years' experience; assist at sales.—R O 61, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG Lady (16, R.C.) seeks position as Shorthand Typist; some office experience; testimonials for same. Address "Z 815, Typist," this office. C

YOUNG Girl wishes situation, Grocery or Dairy; experienced (indoor); highly recommended.—H 414, this office. D

YOUNG Girl Wanted, train Hotel Storekeeping, assist generally; Protestant.—5 South Frederick st.

MALES WANTED.

AS Assistant Boots, and Billiard Marker, Wanted, a strong Lad. Apply, Manager, Four Courts Hotel. D

COACHMAN and General Man, accustomed to all farm machinery, £30 house, fuel money, milk, potatoes.—General Clifford, Carn Cottage, Belturbet, Co. Cavan. D

ESTATE Foreman Wanted to assist Steward; Protestant; must be successful and intelligent manager of workmen, very active, and have good knowledge of all estate and farm work, including timber and machinery; for West of Ireland; permanent position; good wages, with house, etc. Apply by letter only, with copies (only) of testimonials, to Messrs. Whitney and Moore, Solicitors, 46 Kildare st., Dublin. D

GENERAL Farm Hand Wanted, R.C., with Son as same, if not under 15 years; wages 16/- per week and house. Send copies of papers to Patrick Daly, Moyne Lodge, Baldoyle, Co. Dublin. C

GENERAL Man, Groom, Wanted, for country. Apply de Cuen, Standard Hotel, Harcourt st. D

KITCHEN Porter required, experienced young man, for restaurant; no Sunday work.—H 318, this office. B

MAN Wanted, care horses, cattle; good wages; indoors. Apply Rev. James Clavin, P.P., Kilbeg, Kells, Co. Meath. B

REQUIRED, for the Stewart Institution, Palmerstown, Co. Dublin, two good Male Attendants. Apply, at once, to the Matron. 3 26

WANTED, immediately, private place, County Dublin, General Man, married; steady, reliable; good milker; understand care, management cows, rearing calves; 12/- per week, cottage, coals, and usual milk. Apply, with copies of references.—H 172, this office. B

WANTED, General Man, married, able to plough, understand farm machinery; 14/- per week, lodge, coals, and milk. Apply, with copies of reference, to H 171, this office. B

WANTED, General Man, married, Protestant, for country place near Dublin. Apply H 189, this office. D

WANTED immediately, Man to work in Foxhound Kennels, help exercise hounds; married man preferred; good house. Apply, with full particulars, Grogan, Moyle, Carlow. B

WANTED, respectable Man, single, Yardman, help on farm when required; indoor.—Fitzgerald, Uplands, Mountrath. D

WANTED for country, a good, strong Handyman, R.C., single, strict teetotaller, for yard; good milker, feed calves, understand cattle, horses, etc.; send references and state lowest wages (indoor). Address "Z 859, Handyman," this office. D

WANTED for West of Ireland, Man and Wife (no children) to caretake gentleman's house and place; man to have knowledge of gardening and general care of demesne; must be very trustworthy. Send copies of discharges, stating ages and wages expected, to Box 567, care Eason and Son, Dawson st., Dublin. D

WANTED, Workman, small farm; milk, garden; total abstainer; active; good references.—Williams, Kilkea. D

WANTED, for Farm, County Cork, competent Herd, married man, with working boys preferred. Apply stating wages required, E. E. Lysaght, Raheen, Scariff, Co. Clare. E

YARDMAN Dairyman (experienced) Wanted, with care of bull and calves, etc., and generally useful; West of Ireland; permanent post. Apply by letter only, with copies (only) of testimonials, to Messrs. Whitney and Moore, Solicitors, 46 Kildare st., Dublin. D

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS WANTED

GARDEN Labourer required, lodge and allowances; state full particulars.—Head Gardener, Ballinacor, Rathdrum, Wicklow. C

GARDENER (Head Working) Wanted in September, Protestant, married, well up in his business, and who thoroughly understands growing for market, keeping large place in order; big staff kept; none but really good men need apply; good wages given to suitable man and usual perquisites. State age, number in family, to "Z 814, Gardener," this office. D

GARDENER and General Man, good vegetable grower; one small greenhouse; milk one cow and feed fowl; good lodge, 18/-, and allowances. Apply, with copies, c/o M. Rowan and Co., Seed Specialists, 52 Capel st., Dublin.

INSIDE Foreman Wanted at Besborough, Blackrock, Cork; Protestant, married man, with wife to attend gate lodge. Apply to Mr. Good, Head Gardener. B

INSIDE Journeyman Wanted, 16/- per week, bothy, usual allowances. Apply, stating age, references, to Gardener, Clonodfoy Castle, Kilmallock, County Limerick.

PRACTICAL Working Steward Wanted, to manage 200 statute acres, mixed farming, in Co. Carlow; free house, garden, and milk. State age, wages, and full particulars to "Z 903, Steward," this office. E

WANTED immediately, good Working Gardener (single); must thoroughly understand all outdoor flowers and vegetables (no glass), and able to milk. State age and wages and send copies discharges to "Z 717, Gardener," this office. C

WANTED, Dublin district, good Gardener, willing to milk and do general work; £1 weekly and free house.—H 523, this office.

MALES CONTINUED.

WANTED, Yardman, thoroughly respectable, honest, and sober, to grow plain vegetables, milk two cows, and make himself generally useful; live in; wages 8/-.—Major Hutchinson, Hymenstown, Cahir, Co. Tipperary. B

MALES DISENGAGED.

A RESPECTABLE steady young Man (19) not afraid of work, wishes to find a place with farmer, to live with family, where he would obtain a knowledge of farming in all branches. Address "Z 866, Man," this office.

AS Ploughman and general farm Labourer, married.—T. B., Irish Times Office, Kingstown. D

A FIRST Class Butler, Protestant; 3½ years present situation.—H 488, this office.

BUTLER (R.C.) go singlehanded; well recommended.—11 Elmpark avenue, Ranelagh, Dublin. B

CHEF disengaged, with first class references, wants situation, city or country; 'phone, Dublin 4089.—H 154, this office. B

GROOM Coachman, disengaged; can ride and drive; well recommended. Address "Z 862, Groom," this office. D

GENERAL Man, I.C., plain gardener; middle aged; Wife laundress; Son working.—H 29, this office.

I.C. GROOM or Chauffeur; life experience with horses, train, drive double or single harness; 4 years' experience with motor cars, do all running repairs, drive any make; long and satisfactory discharge; married man.—Behan, Fishmoyne, Borrisoleigh, County Tipperary.

MARRIED Couple, no family, seek situations, Man as Yardman, handy all work; Wife help dairy, house, or laundry; both milkers; long, satisfactory discharges.—H 390, this office. 5 27

NORTH Circular road—Advertisements (Prepaid) for "Irish Times" can be handed in at Lonergan's Newsagency and Confectionery, Ye Olde Toll House, Phoenix Park Gate, up to 5.15 p.m. daily (including Sundays) for publication in next day's issue. T

TO Farmers and others—A young Farmer with thorough practical and Departmental experience desires position; highest references as to character and ability.—H 306, this office. C

WORKING Foreman, thorough knowledge of all farm work, buying and selling, diseases of cattle and sheep; married, no family; state terms.—Elmhurst, Templemore, Tipperary. C

STEWARDS & GARDENERS DISENGAGED

GENTLEMAN can recommend Protestant Steward; married; 35. Address "Z 784, Steward," this office. C

GARDENER, Head Working; well up in all departments; Protestant, married; first class testimonials and highly recommended. Address "Z 826, Gardener," this office. 6 27

GENTLEMAN confidently recommends good Gardener; nine years' discharge.—Jury, Greenfield, Donnybrook, Dublin. D

HEAD Working Gardener; understands his business; seven years in present situation; leaving owing to employer's death; small family.—H 477, this office. D

PLAIN Gardener disengaged; good grower fruit, flowers, vegetables; milk.—John Breen, P.O., Foxrock, Co. Dublin. C

STEWARD, life experience tillage, stock, dairy, management of place; married, no incumbrance; 16 years in present situation; can leave when suited. Address "Z 829, Steward," this office. C

WORKING Steward, married, seeks situation; I.C.; highly recommended. Address "Z 844, Steward," this office. D

WORKING Gardener, married, R.C., 1 child; understands all branches; shortly disengaged; excellent testimonials and reference.—H 433, this office. D

WANTED situation as Plain Gardener; can milk, generally useful; I.C., age 52. Apply to J. G., c/o Mr. Grayson, Mount Merrion Lodge, Blackrock.

WORKING Steward, Farmer's Son; thoroughly experienced tillage, working farm machinery, management stock, and Wife good at dairying and poultry; well recommended. Address "Z 898, Steward," this office. E

YOUNG Man seeks a situation as plain Gardener, would care horse or motor; highly recommended. Apply H 435, this office.

DOMESTICS WANTED.

MATRON "Irish Times" has Vacancies for all classes of Servants at good wages; also for young Girls wishing to be trained. Registry Office free to Servants on insertion of Advertisement. No fee. Apply immediately to the

REGISTRY OFFICE, 31 WESTMORELAND STREET.

AUSTRALIA—Girls Wanted; fare £3.—Corbett, Authorised Agent, 18 Lr. Ormond quay, Dublin. T

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WANTED, immediately, strong, tidy country Girl, 15, small family; must be fond of children.—M. C., 29 Prussia st., Dublin. C

WANTED, Betweenmaid; experienced; must sew neatly; send particulars.—Mrs. Ellis, St. Austin's, Inch, Co. Wexford. D

WANTED, Business House, country town, near Belfast, strong Girl; milk, bake, do plain cooking; good wages; comfortable home. Address "Z 788, Girl," this office. C

WANTED, Working Housekeeper or superior Cook General for gentleman's place in the country, Co. Cork; no washing or scrubbing; two in family; small dairy, fowl; good wages to suitable person. Apply, enclosing copy of papers, to "Z 747, Housekeeper," this office. C

WANTED, House Tablemaid, with some experience.—Argyle Lodge, Kingstown.

WANTED, Working Housekeeper, between 30 and 40, for two young men. Apply 25 Berkeley road, between 3 and 4 o'clock.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS WANTED

COOK General Wanted for Galway; small laundry; early riser; two in family; house parlourmaid kept; £18, rising.—Lawson, Claremont Hotel, Harrogate. 8 24

COOK General; housemaid kept. Apply, stating age, wages, and references, Mrs. Aspden, Thurstan, Billinge avenue, Blackburn, England. C

FIRST class Cook (kitchenmaid kept) Wanted at once for country; small dairy. Apply, stating age and wages, to "Z 749, Cook," this office. C

GOOD Plain Cook Wanted, for Bray; Protestant preferred; two ladies, two servants; small washing; state wages; send copies discharges.—Miss Pim, Florence terrace, Bray.

PLAIN Cook Wanted, young. Send copies and full particulars to Mrs. Smith, Bengurragh, Cahir. 6 25

WANTED, young Cook General, for town, second servant kept; wages £16 a year all found.—H 231, this office.

WANTED immediately, good Cook, Protestant; will ... Apply ..., Bay View, Rushbrooke, Co. Cork.

WANTED, September 1st, First Class Cook, suburbs; R.C.; kitchenmaid; care small dairy and poultry; state age, salary, send copies of references.—H 305, this office.

WANTED, Good Plain Cook and House Parlourmaid; Protestant preferred; good recommendations essential; County Cork. Address "Z 778, Cook," this office. C

WANTED, for Dalkey, Cook General, not under 35; must be good plain cook, clean, trustworthy, economical, and well recommended; housemaid kept. State wages expected to "Z 794, Cook," this office. D

WANTED, respectable Girl who has been out before and has knowledge of cooking and housework, and understands the care of chickens and dairy. Apply, stating all particulars, to Mrs. Graham, Castlesize, Sallins. B

WANTED at once, a good Plain Cook; no milking; must care small dairy and few fowl; small family; good wage.—Colgan's Registry Office, Carlow. C

WANTED at once, a good Plain Cook General, accustomed to the country; small dairy, fowl, washing; a mother's help kept also. Apply with recommended.—Mrs. McCann, Ballinacrad, Dowth, nr. Drogheda.

WANTED at once, Good Plain Cook, young, R.C.; small dairy; country; send copies and wages.—Mrs. Sweetman, Derrybawn, Glendalough.

WANTED immediately for Private Hospital, city, a Good Cook, young and active; no kitchenmaid kept; also House Parlourmaid.—23, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.

GENERAL SERVANTS WANTED.

A GOOD General required, to undertake work of small house for 2 ladies; help given; good cooking and strict cleanliness essential. Call to-day to 8 Cambridge terrace, Leeson Park, from 4 o'clock.

EXPERIENCE General, good cook, wait table, early riser; wages £18; small family.—Tottenham, Belmont, Bray.

GENERAL Servant—Wanted, a thoroughly reliable settled Woman for family of 2 in the County Dublin; care fowl and milk one cow; must be well recommended.—S, Irish Times Office, Rathmines. B

GENERAL Wanted, middle August, young, good appearance, early riser, good plain cook; two in family; help given; state wages and references.—15, Irish Times Office, Baggot street Bridge. B

GOOD General Wanted, gentleman's family, country; £18. Age, copies, to "Z 777, General," this office. C

GOOD General Wanted immediately for a few weeks; one lady, small washing. Apply before 11 a.m., or by letter, Mrs. Fisher, Kelvin, Sutton, Co. Dublin. C

GENERAL Servant—Wanted at once, strong young Woman, do plain cooking; good home and living; small private family in best suburb of London; all fares paid to London; good character; £20 per annum.—Mrs. King, 69 Barry road, Peckham Rye, London. D

GENERAL Wanted 2 ladies; wages £18; comfortable home. Call 24 Main st., Blackrock.

SUPERIOR General, 1st August; must be well recommended. Call, between 6 and 8, 43 Wellington place. 5 25

SMART young country General Wanted, or would train; good references essential; small family.—31 Eccles st.

SUTTON—Young General Servant Wanted; wages £12; small family; state references.—H 481, this office.

SUPERIOR General required immediately; 5 in family; small washing; wages £15. Bring original papers, 42 Sandymount avenue, to-day.

WANTED, temporary General (superior), for month, from August 4th; 3 in family. Write Mrs. Bowles, Ireton, Greystones.

WANTED, General Servant, Queen's Co.; small milking; well recommended. State age and salary expected to "Z 852, General," this office. C

WANTED, for Killiney, experienced, trustworthy General; good plain cook; small family; copies of discharges, wages expected.—H 402, this office. D

WANTED, General Servant, R.C., for business house in Co. Sligo; must be a good plain cook, willing and obliging, and have a thorough knowledge of housework; good references essential; wages £16. Address "Z 838, General," this office. D

WANTED, immediately, General, small family, plain cooking. Apply to Sunninghill, Glenageary.

WANTED, two country Girls, one General Servant, the other House and Children's Maid, with some experience. Reply to Mrs. Dickie, Seatown House, Swords, Co. Dublin.

WANTED for Manchester, good General or Cook General, plain cooking; well recommended. Address "Z 891, General," this office.

WANTED superior General Servant; good cook; some knowledge of housekeeping preferred. Apply 3 Belgrave square, E., Rathmines.

WANTED, General Servant, R.C., for private house, Glenageary; must be good plain cook.—G 29, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.

WANTED for Dundrum, experienced General Servant, middle August; good wages; two in family. State age, experience, and references, 18 Vesey place, Kingstown.

WANTED, for first class Restaurant, in country town, a good General, who understands waiting at table; must be smart and clean; wages £10, with tips. Address "Z 906, General," this office. E

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED

A YOUNG, experienced House Parlourmaid Wanted for Foxrock; R.C.; please send copies, and state age and wages. Address "Z 886, Maid," this office. E

CAN any lady recommend Housemaid, not very young, needlewoman; country; £22. Address "Z 744 Maid," this office. D

HOUSE Parlourmaid, young and experienced, Wanted, for Dublin, 8th August; wages £18 to £20, according to capacity. Reply, sending copies of last 2 discharges, to Ringwood, Seapatrick, Greystones. B

HOUSEMAID Wanted.—Hotel Allen, Harcourt street, Dublin.

WANTED, House Parlourmaid, doctor's house; wages £14 a year all found; kept in caps and aprons.—H 332, this office. B

WANTED at once, for the country, one mile from town, experienced Housemaid; good needlewoman. Address "Z 750, Housemaid," this office. C

WANTED, September 1st, First Class Parlourmaid; suburbs; R.C.; send copies references; state age, salary.—H 304, this office.

WANTED, first week in August, House Parlourmaid for country; good papers. State age, religion, and terms expected, to "Z 776, Maid," this office. C

WANTED, young Girl, I.C., to train House Parlourmaid; country house. Address "Z 775, Maid," this office. C

WANTED, experienced House Parlourmaid for 28th August. Apply Mrs. Blackburn, St. Columba's College, Rathfarnham.

WANTED, for Co. Wexford, young Girl, with some experience of housework, to train as House Parlourmaid; send discharge or copies; wages £12, rising. Address "Z 875, Girl," this office. E

WANTED, on 14th August, good House Parlourmaid for small house. Apply Mrs. Pollok, Gilltown, Kilcullen, Co. Kildare. B

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WANTED immediately experienced House Parlourmaid, R.C., with bicycle; small, new house, with every modern convenience; £18.—Mrs. Coote, Deerpark, Mountrath, Queen's Co.

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NURSE—Children's Nurse Wanted. Apply Mrs. Moffett, Ballinasloe.

WANTED, young, experienced Nurse, take charge infant, 5 months, and boy, 4 years.—Nurse, Fisherhill, Castlebar, Co. Mayo. B

WANTED, French, Swiss, Belgian Nurse or Nursery Governess, R.C.; take sole charge two young children; £24-£30; age 25-35; good needlewoman.—Mrs. Plunkett, Hotel Carlisle, Kingstown.

WANTED, Infant's Nurse, first baby, age 25, 30; £25; England; needlewoman. Meet Lady Saturday, 12 o'clock, Registry, Irish Times.

YOUNG Nurse, some experience, R.C.; Nurserymaid might suit, willing to take instructions; care two children, 18 months and six months; wages £12-£14. Reply Belmont Cottage, Esplanade, Bray (temporary, Dublin September). 3 26

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, &C., WANTED.

WANTED, good strong Kitchenmaid. Apply, stating age and wages, to "Z 755, Housemaid," this office. B

WANTED immediately, Scullerymaid for Co. Kildare; some experience. Write, Lady Mayo, 3 Stratford place, London. D

WANTED, single handed Kitchenmaid, R.C.; must have experience; state wages.—Mrs. Cassidy, Monasterevan, Co. Kildare. E

WANTED, Kitchenmaid for Co. Limerick; no fowl or dairy; wages £14 to £16. State age, copies of discharges to "Z 874, Maid," this office. E

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RESPECTABLE young Married Woman wishes Daily Work; cooking, housework, washing; willing and obliging.—H 247, this office. B

RESPECTABLE Farmer's Daughter, R.C., never out before, would like light Housework; comfortable home desirable; suburbs.—45 Ellesmere avenue, N.C. road. B

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SERVANTS' Registry, 65 Dame st.; hours, from 11 till 4; business punctually attended to. 26 13

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A GOOD Cook, young, disengaged 4th August; excellent papers; country or suburbs.—Buckley, Ballybrack Post Office.

COOK (First Class) disengaged, good officers' mess experienced; also good country mansions; take job; Protestant, widow, age 35. Address "Z 753, Cook," this office. 6 24

COOK, good all round cook; age 29; £22; city or country.—H 188, this office.

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COOK General or General; plain cooking, small washing; recommended.—H 469, this office.

COOK General; good plain cooking, small washing; highly recommended.—H 460, this office.

COOK or Cook General in officer's or gentleman's family; recommended; experienced.—Hennessy, St. Anthony Home, 14 Upper Gloucester st., Dublin.

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EXCELLENT Cook Housekeeper to Bachelor or Lady, or any place of trust; 6 years' reference.—H 510, this office.

FIRST Class Protestant Cook, temporary or permanent, with kitchenmaid; take dairy; highest references. Address "Z 855, Cook," this office.

GOOD Cook, disengaged, seeks situation; city or suburbs preferred; Protestant.—H 417, this office. D

GENERAL; plain cooking, small washing; long paper; well recommended.—H 478, this office.

RESPECTABLE young Woman seeks situation Cook or Cook General; well recommended.—H 518, this office.

RESPECTABLE Girl wishes situation as General; outdoor; doctor or dentist's preferred.—H 504, this office.

SITUATION Wanted, good plain Cook; understands sweets, savouries; care of dairy and fowl.—L., 23 St. Patrick's Cottages, Rathfarnham, Co. Dublin.

YOUNG country Girl seeks situation, Cook General or General; highly recommended; no washing.—W. G., at Reid's, Muckenagh, Glasson, Athlone. F

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GENERAL, disengaged, age 20, R.C.; wages £12-£14; city, suburbs. Address "Z 758, General," this office. B

GENERAL—Country Girl, needs training in cooking, disengaged; well recommended; £10.—Winnett's, Dalkey.

GENERAL, plain cooking, small washing; early riser; well recommended.—H 471, this office.

GENERAL, good plain cook and laundress, disengaged when suited; well recommended.—B. Reid, Rosstown, Kilsallaghan, Co. Dublin.

GENERAL, plain cooking; small family; disengaged through family leaving town; can be highly recommended.—L. G. 39 Mountjoy square, Dublin. E

LADY going away would recommend young General, plain cooking, small washing.—42 Belgrave square, Monkstown.

RESPECTABLE young country Girl wishes to train as General; good school reference; Clontarf preferred. Address "Z 899, General," this office.

SUPERIOR General; well recommended; country girl; small family.—Reilly, 75 Charlemont st.

YOUNG General, plain cooking, would go Housemaid; highly recommended.—H 462, this office.

YOUNG General, disengaged; no washing; highly recommended.—9 Marlborough st.

YOUNG General desires temporary situation; plain cooking; well recommended.—H 464, this office.

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A YOUNG, respectable Girl as House Parlourmaid to a gentleman's small place; highly recommended; clean and tidy; state terms.—Maggie Purcell, Loughcrew, Oldcastle, Co. Meath.

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HEAD Housemaid, R.C., age 29; thoroughly understands duties; excellent, long references. Address "Z 801, Maid," this office. D

HOUSE Parlourmaid, country Girl, wishes situation; well recommended; would go England.—Kerr's Agency, Wicklow.

HOUSE Parlourmaid (R.C.), disengaged; good papers; would go to England; £18. Apply Winnett's, Dalkey.

HOUSEMAID, Upper of 2, last place 3 years; Roman Catholic; 29, expects £24; good needlewoman.—Rea's Office, Armagh.

PARLOURMAID, disengaged, Protestant; good references.—Mrs. Charlton, 5 Old Portadown road, Lurgan.

RESPECTABLE Girl wishes training House Parlourmaid; home more object that salary.—H 517, this office.

RESPECTABLE Person requires situation, Housemaid or General, small family, August 1st; take temporary place.—R O 67, Irish Times Office, Rathmines.

YOUNG Girl wishes situation as Housemaid; can do plain sewing; 1 year 7 months in present place; disengaged 3rd August. Address "Z 677, Maid," this office. 6 22

YOUNG Girl, Housemaid; some experience; well recommended.—H 476, this office.

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A LADY recommends trustworthy, R.C., young Girl as good Nurse, or House Parlourmaid; Dublin preferred. Address "Z 745, Domestics," this office. B

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PROTESTANT Children's Maid, experienced; take young children; well recommended.—H., 11 Molesworth st. C

RESPECTABLE Girl, age 22, wishes business situation; would go as Children's Nurse.—H 445, this office. D

WANTED, position Children's Maid, help, plain sewing, and darning; Protestant. Address "Z 890, Maid," this office. E

YOUNG Lady wants post to mind one child, four hours daily.—G., Marsden's Library, Kingstown.

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TRAMCAR OVERTURNED.

On Wednesday night a double-decked tramcar on the Wigan Corporation Tramways overturned on the New Springs route, with the result that 26 passengers required medical attention; seven passengers were conveyed to hospital, and an elderly lady, who has not yet been identified, died yesterday morning in Wigan Infirmary. First aid was rendered to others on the spot.

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STORE CATTLE SALES.

GANLY, SONS AND CO.

Forward bullocks and heifers were a good show at Messrs. Ganly, Sons and Co.'s weekly sale yesterday, and for those of nice quality and condition a good trade was experienced at a firm repetition of last week's prices. The rougher and plainer lots were more difficult to dispose of, and prices for these were hardly maintained. Some typical bullocks of the Aberdeen Angus, Hereford, and shorthorn cross, the property of the representatives of the late Lord Longford, commanded considerable attention, and realised between 52/- and 64/6 per cwt. Horned and polled bullocks sold at £34 15/-, £28 5/-, £26 10/-, £26, £24 7/6, £23 5/-, £22 10/-, or from 55/- to 60/- per cwt.; while best prices obtained for heifers were £25, £24 5/-, £24, £23 10/-, £23, £22 15/-, or 54/- to 59/- per cwt.

MESSRS. GAVIN LOW, LTD.

The entries for this week's sale totalled 435, and in regard to class and quality the animals were well up to the average. Buyers, however, were not so numerous, and were entirely composed of home feeders. In sympathy with the rates current for fat cattle, prices had a downward tendency, and although lots of best quality reached last week's top quotations (57/- to 62/-) the general tone was 2/- to 3/- per cwt. lower—viz., from 52/- to 56/.

MESSRS. LAURENCE CUFFE AND SONS.

There was a very big supply of cattle at this sale, and a very level useful lot of shorthorn heifers and bullocks. In the face of a slump in the beef market immediately preceding trade was a shade quieter, and quotations slightly lower, but with grass so good everywhere the fall in values was not nearly so accentuated, and a lot of business was transacted at about 1/- per cwt. under last week's rates. For a number of lots of bullocks from £20 to £25 from 53/- to 57/- was about the rate, some lots of half fat heifers from £19 to £22 making in some instances a shade more. There were again only a few young beasts entered. Sale as usual next week.

R. AND J. WILKINSON.

The entries for this firm's sale were not quite so numerous as the previous week, but comprised a good show of useful feeding cattle. Both cross-Channel and home feeders were well represented, and though following a weaker trade in the fat cattle market there was a steady demand for all nice quality cattle, which passed off at very little variation from last week's rates. The following are some of the principal prices—Horned and polled bullocks, £30 10/-, £29 5/-, £28 15/-, £27 15/-, £26 15/-, £26, £25 10/-, £25, £24 10/-, £24, £23 15/-, £23, or from 53/- to 60/- per cwt.; Angus and Hereford cross bullocks made £31 10/-, £30, £28 12/6, from 55/- to 62/- per cwt.; heifers, £30, £27 5/-, £26, £25, £24 10/-, £23 7/6, £22, £21 15/-, £20 5/- (from 53/- to 59/6 per cwt.)

SERVICES AND ANTHEMS.

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.

The Holy Communion is celebrated every Sunday at 8 a.m. and 12 noon; on Holydays at 8 and 11 a.m.; and on Thursdays at 8 a.m. Choral Service on week-days at 10 and 4 o'clock.

Friday, July 28.

Morning Service at 10 o'clock. Litany. Hymn 312. Evening Service at 4 o'clock. Note—Men's voices only. Unaccompanied Service. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Plainsong. Anthem, "I will lay me down," Sullivan, 299.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

Celebrations of the Holy Communion: — Sundays, Choral Celebration at the 11.15 a.m. Service; Holydays at 10 a.m. (on the greater Festivals at 8 a.m.). Matins at 10.45 a.m. (Sundays at 11.15 a.m.). Evensong at 3 o'clock (Sundays at 4 o'clock).

Cantoris Week.

Friday, July 28. Half choir.

Morning—Kempton in B flat.

Thou knowest, Lord..............Purcell, 726.

Evening—Farrant in G minor.

Blest are the pure in heart, Kitson (Hymn 346).

Saturday, July 29. Half choir.

Morning—Prout in F.

All people that on earth..............Tallis, 4.

Evening—Ouseley in B flat.

O Saviour of the world..............Goss, 532.

St. Mary's Chapel of Ease, Mountjoy street.—Intercessory Service this evening at 8 o'clock. Preacher, Rev. A. O. Draper, B.A.

St. George's Parochial Hall.—Intercessory Service this evening at 8.15 o'clock.

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MARKET REPORTS.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE MARKET.

North Circular road, July 27.

A further substantial increase in supplies of stock here this morning swelled the market to exceptionally large dimensions, entrants in both divisions being beyond the business practicable. The close, sultry weather and cheaper tone of cross-Channel markets, too, exercised an unfavourable influence on trade in the main. Values all round were consequently more or less seriously depressed, but a tolerably big trade was eventually concluded at current rates. Choice handy-sized cattle were perhaps 1/- to 1/6 per cwt. lower, and heavy weight and coarse classes 2/- to 3/- per cwt. worse to place. In ovine branch the enormous number of sheep and lambs to be handled produced a very dragging and slumpy disposition in business, and with rare exceptions values must be written 2/- to 3/- per head cheaper over the week. Rather well-sustained shipping support alone averted a more severe discounting in prices, but there was nevertheless a considerable proportion of an overplus remaining unsold. The attendance of English, Scotch, and home butchers and dealers was very large and representative, but somehow a cheaper market was generally anticipated, and from the very commencement biddings were cautious and devoid of cohesion; subsequently, on pressure of supplies becoming manifest, buyers had matters more decidedly their own way.

Numbers on Sale

This week.		As compared with last.		Corresponding weeks of 1915.	1914.
Beasts	4,253	Increase	552	3,567	1,950
Sheep and lambs	11,653	Increase	1,633	8,734	5,776
Veal calves	8	Increase	3	17	27

In the beast branch there were plenty of buyers for a fair sample of bullocks and heifers, but there was, nevertheless, a palpable hesitancy in responding to previous terms. In the main it may be said choice qualities of handy weight cattle suffered a drop of, say, 1/- to 1/6 per cwt. on foot, whilst for heavier and coarse descriptions scale test put 2/- to 3/- per cwt. cheaper. Prime quality beasts averaged 58/- to 62/6, and for those of extra blood and finish 63/- to 66/-, and more rarely 67/- was occasionally touched in a flukey way perhaps. Good medium butchering cattle 55/- to 57/6, and coarser and leaner sorts from 45/- to 52/6, according to circumstances. For up-top quality beeves, dead weight, values now approximate from 102/6 to 112/- per cwt., with rougher sorts downward in proportion. Fat cows and bulls were a good deal in evidence, and experienced a dull and irregular sale, with prices on a very depressed scale, unless for occasional nice young qualities, prices averaged from 40/- to 52/6, and up to 55/- and 56/- for best grades. A significant feature of the market was reflected in the considerable number of cattle still remaining without buyers' marks at a late hour.

In the sheep department business followed a very quiet and cautious routine. Some fancy pens of small weight wethers placed to local butchers were considered near up to previous price, but generally terms showed a decided cut of 2/- to 3/- per head on last Thursday. There was a tolerably good export demand, but altogether, in view of the enormous extent of supplies, sellers were at some more or less considerable disadvantage in pushing business. Choice wether mutton averaged 9½d. to 10½d. and 11d. per lb., and like ewe 8½d. to 9½d. and 10d.; coarser type of sheep about 8d. per lb. The run of lambs averaged, say, 22/- to 40/- and 44/- each, but more rarely for occasional extra big and choice drafts terms went 45/- to 50/-, 52/-, and 54/- each, but there were sheep even figuring higher, but these should be deemed hoggets rather than lambs.

Veal calves numbered but slight exhibits, the best of which averaged 8d. to 10d. per lb., and one extra nice calf realised like figuring out at 11d. per lb.

DUBLIN STORE, North Circular road, July 27.—Large entries of store cattle were forward for to-day's auction sales, the several of which were tolerably well attended by home graziers and shippers. There was, however, a decidedly cautious and reserved attitude shown on the part of buyers, and up to the time of writing sales had not made any appreciable progress, and several sales had already failed to effect an exchange of ownership.

DUBLIN DAIRY (North Circular road), July 27.—The entries here were 245 head. There was a very strong inquiry for choice milchers, especially those on second or third calf, with extra capacity. For tip-top springers and cows with calf at foot £30 to £36 and £38 was paid, and for other first class quality cows £20 to £28; others, £12 to £19 each.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN PIG (N.C.R.), July 27.—We had a decrease of 208 pigs in market this morning as compared with last Thursday's entrants. With the usual strong contingent of buyers present trade ruled much the same as last week, and full prices for all classes were easily maintained. A clearance was effected at an early hour. Quotations:—Choice porkers, 88/- to 94/- and 95/- per cwt.; heavy shipping pigs, 84/- to 92/- per cwt.; stores, 75/- to 100/- each, according to size and quality; slips, 53/- to 70/- each; bonhams, 32/- to 48/- each.

GANLY, SONS, AND CO.'S DUBLIN CATTLE MARKET REPORT.—Offices and Wool Stores—18, 19, and 20 Usher's quay, Dublin, Thursday, 27th July, 1916.—The conjunction of increased numbers, unfavourable weather, and bad cross-Channel reports caused a decided depression in trade for cattle. Really choicely finished beasts, in a few exceptional instances, repeated last week's quotations, but generally a reduction of 2/- to 3/- per cwt. was the basis which ruled the majority of transactions. Notwithstanding the big show of sheep and lambs, best qualities realised late rates. Other sorts not so easily placed at a slight reduction. Cattle, best, 60/- to 64/- per cwt., live; extreme for exceptional finish, up to 67/- per cwt.; secondary and other classes, 54/- to 59/- per cwt.; mutton, 9d. to 11½d. per lb.; lambs, 30/- to 52/- each. Auction Dates:—Thursday next, Aug. 3rd—Auction of Store Cattle in 63 Prussia street. Wednesday, Aug. 23rd—Opening Auction of Brood Ewes in Dublin Cattle Market. Telephone No. 216. Telegrams—"Ganly, Usher's quay, Dublin."—(Advt.)

GAVIN LOW, LTD.—Market Report, 50 Prussia street, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Supplies:—Cattle, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep, 11,653—increase, 1,633. Cattle met a slow trade this morning, and unless for really well-finished ones, prices were fully 2/- per head lower. There was practically no change in the trade for sheep and lambs, and a good clearance was effected at about last week's rates. Quotations:—Best bullocks and heifers, from 58/- to 63/-, and in exceptional cases up to 66/- per cwt., live weight; others, from 52/6 to 57/6 per cwt., live weight; cows and bulls, from 40/- to 60/- per cwt., live weight; mutton, 9d. to 11½d. per lb.; lambs, 27/6 to 56/- each. Fixtures:—July 31st—Annual Sale of Hay, and Clearance Auction of Machinery, Farming Implements, etc., at Woodlawn, Santry, for Richard O'Malley, Esq., J.P. July 31st—Sale of Old Meadow Hay at Edendale, Santry, for Mrs. Mary Clarke. August 1st—Sale of Old Meadow Hay at Saucerstown, Swords, for Mr. Thomas McInerney. August 18th—Special Sale of Ewes, Store Sheep, and lambs, in Cattle Market, Dublin. Store Cattle Sale every Thursday.—(Advt.)

R. AND J. WILKINSON, 40 and 41 Prussia street, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Cattle Market Circular.—The extremely hot weather prevailing for the past week had an adverse effect on cross-Channel markets, and our cattle supplies being augmented by over 500 head, we consequently had a slow trade to-day at weaker prices. Sheep and lambs were 1,600 more, and the largest market of the season. Trade quiet, and prices in favour of buyers generally, with the thinner classes of lambs very hard to clear. Best cattle, 58/- to 63/- and 64/-, others 42/- to 57/6 per cwt., live weight; mutton, 8d. to 10½d. per lb. Beasts, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep, 11,653—increase, 1,633. Store Cattle Sale every Thursday.—(Advt.)

LAURENCE CUFFE AND SONS' CIRCULAR, 5 Smithfield, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Between the excessively close weather and rather a big supply for July, we had rather a slump in beef, prices being down 2/- to 3/- per cwt., with "strong" cattle rather difficult to sell out. Sheep and lambs were also in big numbers, and rather slower, but not quotably cheaper. On account of the beef market, stores were slightly lower, but not to the same extent as the finished article. Fat cattle, 44/- to 65/- per cwt.; store cattle, 50/- to 59/- per cwt.; mutton, 9d. to 1/- per lb.; lambs, 35/- to 56/- each. N.B.—Store Cattle Sale every Thursday.—(Advt.)

SMITH, GRIFFIN AND CO., 56 and 57 Prussia street, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—With a large increase in the numbers of cattle on offer—552 head—trade was much quieter even for the best finish, and prices must be written down 2/- to 3/- per head. A clearance difficult to effect. Sheep and lambs also show an increase of over 1,600 head. Trade for best lambs and useful shipping and home trade mutton was much easier, and values for rough classes 1/- to 3/- per head lower. Quotations:—Beef, 78/- to 110/- per cwt., or 50/- to 62/-, and extra finish 63/- to 66/- per cwt., live weight; mutton, 8½d. to 11½d. per lb.; lambs, 28/- to 55/- each.—(Advt.)

DUFFEY, MANGAN, AND BUTLER, Cattle Salesmen, 37 Smithfield, Dublin, Thursday, July 27th, 1916.—Increase of 552 beasts and 1,633 sheep and lambs. A very good attendance of buyers, and steady demand for cattle. Prices, however, were slightly easier, especially for rough classes. Slower trade for sheep and lambs; prices of both moving in buyers' favour. Beef, 50/- to 63/- per cwt., live weight; 60/- to 65/- per cwt.; mutton, 9d. to 11d. per lb.; lambs, 25/- to 55/- each.—(Advt.)

HANBURY AND POTTERTON, Smithfield House, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Numbers:—Cattle, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep and lambs, 11,653—increase, 1,633. Owing to the large increase in cattle and sheep, and worse markets in England, trade to-day was not nearly so good, and all descriptions of stock must be quoted as selling in favour of buyers. Beef, for best, from 60/- to 66/- per cwt., live weight; others, 50/- to 58/-; mutton, 9d. to 11d. per lb.; lambs, 28/- to 58/- each.—(Advt.)

ARMSTRONG AND SMITH'S REPORT, 25 Prussia street, 27th July, 1916.—Beasts, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep, 11,653—increase, 1,633. Business commenced fairly good in the morning for all prime finished beasts, which made late rates, but as the day advanced trade became more sluggish, and a reduction in price had to be made, especially in rough and half-meated cattle, to effect sales. Owing to the large increase in numbers of sheep and lambs trade was slower, with prices slightly in buyers' favour. Beef, 50/- to 60/-, extra to 64/- per cwt., live weight; mutton, 9d. to 11d. per lb.; lambs, 30/- to 54/- each.—(Advt.)

WM. A. WALLIS' REPORT.—Offices, 17 Lower Ormond quay, and New Cattle Market, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—The numbers to-day show an increase of 552 beasts and 1,633 sheep and lambs. The large numbers penned, coupled with oppressive weather, had a very quieting effect on trade, consequently less money had to be taken in order to effect sales, large numbers remaining unsold. Sheep and lambs 2/- to 3/- per head lower than previous quotations, notwithstanding good shipping demand for the latter. Prices:—Beef (prime), 58/- to 63/-, extra 65/- per cwt., live weight; other grades, 40/- to 56/- per do.; mutton, 8½d. to 11d. per lb.; lambs, 28/- to 53/- each. Telegrams—"Transit, Dublin." Numbers:—Beasts, 4,253; sheep, 11,653.—(Advt.)

P. O'CONNOR AND SON, 49 Queen street, Dublin. Market Report, 27th July, 1916.—Increased supplies, warm weather, and dull trade the other side of the Channel, caused a much worse market for all sorts of cattle this morning. Rough sorts especially hard to cash. Though there was an exceedingly large supply of sheep and lambs, nevertheless a fair trade sustained.—(Advt.)

ROBERT CRAIGIE'S REPORT, 37 Prussia street, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Supplies:—Cattle, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep, 11,653—increase, 1,633. Sultry weather and abnormally heavy supplies for season gave a slight check to trade for all classes of stock this morning. Best lots of cattle 1/- per cwt. cheaper, and middling sorts about 2/- per cwt. lower; sheep 2/- to 3/- per head lower. A good clearance effected. Sheep and lambs in steady request, but prices generally were 2/- per head lower. Quotations:—Cattle (best), from 60/- to 65/- per cwt., live weight; secondary, from 50/- to 59/- per cwt., live weight; cows and bulls, from 40/- to 57/- per cwt., live weight; sheep, from 8½d. to 11½d. per lb.; lambs, from 30/- to 57/- each. Telegrams—"Craigie, Dublin." Telephone 2553.—(Advt.)

REPORT OF MESSRS. BERGIN, O'CONNOR, AND CO., Cattle Salesmen, 11 St. Joseph's road, Dublin, July 27th, 1916.—Supplies:—Cattle, 4,253—increase, 552; sheep and lambs, 11,653—increase, 1,633. A further increase in supply of both cattle and sheep, following worse trade at English and Scotch markets, had an unfavourable effect on business this morning. Choice lots of medium-sized bullocks and heifers about touched last week's extreme rates, but the general run of beasts, and particularly those of an unfinished description, were from 2/- to 4/- per cwt. (live weight) lower, with many lots unsold. Best finished sheep in good demand at late rates; other meets with a slow trade at easier prices. Buyers secured their lambs on better terms, the reduction being well marked on any but fancy lots. Quotations:—Cattle, best, 59/- to 63/- per cwt., live weight; one lot of extra quality bullocks made 68/-; secondary sorts, 53/- to 58/- per cwt.; cows, bulls, etc., 40/- to 52/- per cwt., live weight; mutton, 9d. to 11½d. per lb.; lambs, 34/- to 55/- each. Telephone No. 3860. Telegraphic address—"Approve, Dublin."—(Advt.)

JOHN P. CUFFE, Auctioneer, Cattle and Sheep Salesman, 73 Prussia street, Dublin.—Cattle Market Report, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.—Owing to adverse reports from the other side, a cautious tone prevailed at our market to-day. Nice handy cattle, suitable to the weather conditions, were a fair trade at a slight reduction in price from last week, but for heavy and rough sorts considerable concessions had to be made to effect sales, and a clearance not effected. Sheep trade quite equal to last week, but lambs suffered a reduction of from 2/- to 4/- each. Beef, 55/- to 63/- per cwt.; mutton, 10d. to 1/- per lb.; lambs, 45/- to 68/- each. Telephone 4840. Telegrams—"Bullocks, Dublin."—(Advt.)

LONDON METROPOLITAN, July 27.—A limited number of beasts were marketed, and passed off slowly, rates being largely nominal. Total supplies—63 beasts, and 3 cows.

BIRMINGHAM, July 27.—A small supply of cattle and sheep, and a slow trade at previous rates, except that lamb was slightly dearer. Good entry of pigs, and quiet demand. Quotations:—Beef, 11d. to 1/1 per lb.; mutton, 10½d. to 1/1; lamb, 1/2 to 1/2½ per lb.; bacon pigs, 19/- per score; cutters, 19/-; sows, 15/6.

BRISTOL, July 27.—Beef in limited supply, trade quiet—Best, 1/1; secondary, 1/- per lb. Fair supply of sheep—Best wethers, 1/1; ewes, 11d.; lamb, 1/3 per lb. Moderate show of pigs—Baconers, 18/-; porkers, 19/- per score. Very few store cattle offered, and demand limited. Milch cows from £22 up to £32 each.

YORK, July 27.—No English cattle on offer, but a good supply of Irish stores, which met a dull, slow inquiry, with only a few sales effected, these being at about last week's rates. Calving and milch cows again met a good inquiry, but there is very short supply, and the high rates of last week were fully maintained. Sheep were in fair offer, and sold at prices similar to last week.

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC), Thursday.—WHEAT—The cargo trade is firm and in sellers' favour, but largely nominal owing to scarcity of offers and lack of buying interest. Choice white Karachi July-August sellers 61/3. No. 2 hard winter August 55/6. Parcels again dearer, but trade quiet. No. 1 Northern Manitoba afloat sold 56/-, to 56/6, July-August 56/3 to 56/4½, August-September 56/3 to 56/7½; choice white Karachi July-August 61/-, August-September 60/9. OATS quiet. No. 2 white clipped American July sellers 29/3. BARLEY steady, but quiet. Karachi July-August sellers 48/6, and La Plata on the way, per sailer, 46/-. MAIZE marks a rising tendency. Steamers of yellow La Plata bulk afloat sellers 53/-, do., bags loading 53/6, bulk July 52/6, mid-August 51/-, and August 50/9, mid-September 50/6, August-September 50/-, September-October 49/9, sailer of do. bags afloat 54/-, mixed African per sailer due 49/-. The Dunbighshire, 5,349 tons La Plata 19th July, sold 52/6 to Ireland. Parcels irregular, but firmer. La Plata June-July sold 49/6 to 48/9, July-August 48/9 to 48/6, August-September 48/3, 48/4½, 47/9, and 48/-; mixed American July-August done at 44/3 to 44/6.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—American advices turned out about as generally anticipated, and little material change took place at the outset, but with limited offerings prices afterwards improved fully 6d. per qr., but later on receded slightly. MAIZE in forward positions firm and dearer. WHEAT on the spot was firm, and holders raised prices about 1d. per cental for all descriptions. MAIZE—Spot parcels ruled quietly steady, without material alteration in values. FLOUR firm, and prices tended in an upward direction. WHEAT CARGOES firm, with No. 1 Manitoba 15th August quoted 58/-, No. 2 hard winter late August 55/-, and choice white Karachi August 61/- per qr. In parcels, No. 1 Manitoba afloat sold at 55/-, August-September 55/3, 55/9, and 55/7½, October-November 55/3 per qr. MAIZE CARGOES firm, with River Plate and July quoted 51/6, and August 50/9 per qr. In parcels, River Plate on passage per Tartary sold at 49/1, and American mixed July-August August-September 43/6 per qr.

Imports of Grain, &c. (Centals).

	Wheat.	Flour.	Maize.	Peas.	Beans.
To-day	74388	9607	75170	—	7850
This week	175560	18622	153965	448	14002
This year	18087918	903790	3881645	116955	208508
Last year	13831536	946208	3312242	140330	121281

Current quotations—

WHEAT, 100lb.			American Spring.	
Australian	12/10	—	Patent	44/ 6 45/ 6
Blue Stem	none here		Low Grade	none here
White Walla	none here		English-made	
No1 Manitoba	11/11 11/11½		Patent	48/ 0 48/ 0
No. 2	11/10 11/10½		Bakers	43/ 0 44/ 0
No. 3	none here		BARLEY, ℔ 60lb.	
No. 4	none here		Feeding	6/ 5 7/ 0
West. Winter	none here		PEAS, ℔ 100lb.	
No. 2 Hard			Canadian	none here
Winter	11/10 11/11		Kurrachee	10/ 8 —
River Plate	none here		Chinese	12/ 6 —
Kurrachee	none here		BEANS, ℔ 480lb.	
Chilian	none here		Saidi	54/ 0 54/ 8
MAIZE, ℔ 100lb.			Odessa	none here
Mixed	10/ 0 10/ 4½		English	60/ 0 62/ 0
Yel. River Plate			Chinese	54/ 0 54/ 8
on sample	11/ 0 11/ 1		OATMEAL, ℔ 240lb.	
Danubian	none here		Irish	none here
Cinquantina	none here		Canadian and	
Gal.-Fox	none here		American	38/ 0 40/ 0
Wt. African	9/ 6 9/ 8		Midlothian	55/ 0 58/ 0
Bombay	none here		OATS, ℔ 45lb.	
FLOUR 280lb.			English	4/10 5/ 0
American Winter			River Plate	none here
Patent	44/ 0 45/ 0		Chilian	4/ 7½ 5/ 0

MANCHESTER, July 27.—Wheat, English 1/6 to 2/- per quarter higher, at around 60/- per 504lb. on rail; foreign, Manitobas fully 6d. per cental, while winters were 10d. per cental higher on week. Indian corn 1d. to 1½d. per cental higher; mixed American kiln quoted at 10/2½ to 10/3 per cental. Oats, Canadian Western, due in, 4/9 per bushel; English higher, 4/10 to 4/11. Flour irregular, about 1/- higher on week. Bran and offals firmer.

BRISTOL, July 27.—Very little English wheat on offer, and prices nominally 2/- higher, viz., 56/- per quarter, at which farmers were not eager to do business; foreign wheat steady inquiries, and values 1/6 to 2/- dearer. Grinding barley 1/- to 1/6 more money. Maize firm at last week's full rates. Oats steady and unchanged.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—BACON—Chicago advices on the whole were of an unfavourable character, but the arrivals here continued of only moderate extent, and holders again offered sparingly of all descriptions. Prices of all cuts of American showed a further advance of about 1/- per cwt., but the continual rise in values during the past few days had the effect of checking demand somewhat, buyers being less disposed to operate beyond their actual needs. Irish, Danish, and Canadian bacon ruled firm at late rates, stocks still being in small compass. SHOULDERS were firmly held, and New Yorks, from relative scarcity, were raised 2/- per cwt. HAMS moved fairly under the influence of continued fine weather. American long and short cut 1/- and skinless about 2/- per cwt. dearer. LARD on the spot, following the further decline in Chicago, was reduced 1/- per cwt. for prime steam, and American refined was 6d. to 9d. per cwt. easier, with the demand still limited all round. REFINED LARD FUTURES—No change took place in the afternoon in the absence of trading, final rates being 7½d. to 9d. per cwt. below yesterday. 72/6 bid for September and 73/3 asked for October, and 72/9 refused. CHEESE quiet and 1/- per cwt. lower for both finest States and Canadian. BUTTER ruled steady and fairly active at late rates for all descriptions. EGGS quiet and prices favoured buyers.

Imports of Provisions

	Bacon. Boxes.	Beef. Tierc's.	Butter. Pack's.	Cheese. Boxes.	Hams. Boxes.	Pork. Brls.	Lard. Tons.
To-day	2102	—	—	258	558	300	681
This week	4191	100	—	1487	951	335	1019
This year	482835	7281	57853	350283	106280	10898	29359
Last year	352237	6147	72564	452404	115641	9025	21903

Current quotations—

Bacon, per 112lbs.	s. d.	s. d.
Irish	113 0	116 0
Danish	112 0	115 0
Dutch	nominal	
Canadian Singed Sides	100 0	104 0
Canadian Cumberland Cut	88 0	94 0
Canadian Long Ribs	nominal	
American—		
Long Clear, 28lb to 33lb.	89 0	91 0
Short Backs, 12lb. to 20lb.	83 0	88 0
Short Rib, 12lb. to 24lb.	nominal	
Clear Bellies, 14lb. to 28lb.	87 0	92 0
Cumberland, 24lb. to 25lb.	87 0	89 0
Hams, per 112lbs.		
Long Cut, 12lb. to 16lb.	91 0	95 0
American Cut, 12lb. to 16lb.	96 0	100 0
Skinless, 14lb. to 16lb.	102 0	104 0
Extra	108 0	112 0
Long Cut Canadian	96 0	100 0
Shoulders, per 112lbs.		
New York Cut, 5lb. to 13lb.	67 0	69 0
Square Cut, 12lb. to 16lb.	69 0	71 0
Picnic, 5lb. to 8lb.	68 0	70 0

Lard, per 112lbs.			Cheese—	
Prime Steam	71/ 0	71/ 6	Finest Canadian (white)	88/ 0 90/ 0
Pails, 2-28lbs.	74/ 0	74/ 6	do. (coloured)	88/ 0 92/ 0
Boxes, 2-28lbs.	72/ 3	73/ 3	Finest States	86/ 0 89/ 0
Compound, 2-28lb. boxes	68/ 0	68/ 0	Eggs, per 120—	
Butter per 112lbs—			Irish (hen)	14/ 9 16/0
Irish Creams	160/ 0	163/ 0	" (duck)	nominal.
do. Factories	142/ 0	152/ 0	Egyptian	nominal.
Danish	174/ 0	176/ 0	Canadian	14/ 6 15/ 0
Canadian	156/ 0	160/ 0	U.S.A.	14/ 0 15/ 0
			Russian	13/ 0 13/ 6

DUBLIN WHOLESALE POTATO, July 27.—Supplies of all grades liberal. Demand fairly good, and about equal to a clearance. Values all round unchanged, viz., best samples, 5/6 to 6/- per cwt.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE VEGETABLE, July 27.—A good supply of stuff to hand this morning. Demand fairly brisk, and prices steady. A clearance effected at the following range:—York cabbages, 6/- to 12/- and 19/- per load; cauliflowers, best, 1/- to 1/9; seconds, 6d. to 9d. per dozen; celery, 3d. to 6d. per bunch; beet, 3d. to 4d. per bunch; parsley, 10d. to 1/- per float; lettuce, 4d. to 6d. per dozen; tomatoes, 4½d. to 6d. per lb.; cucumbers, 2/- to 4/- per dozen; white turnips, 4d. to 7d. per bunch; parsnips, 1/9 per dozen bunches; carrots, 1/6 to 2/- per dozen bunches; scallions, 10d. to 1/2 per bunch; onions, 10/- to 11/- per bag; leeks, 9d. to 1/- per bunch; rhubarb, 1/- to 1/6 and 1/11 per dozen bunches; peas, 1/2 to 1/9 per float; thyme, 2/- to 4/- per dozen bunches; Tripoli onions, 1/- to 1/4 per bunch; spinach, 8d. to 10d. per float.

DUBLIN WHOLESALE FISH, July 27.—Two steam trawlers up with 202 boxes of mixed fish this morning; very limited arrivals from Ringsend and country boats; 16 boxes of mackerel, 17 boxes of herrings, 12 chests of lobsters, and 17 packages of salmon. Demand good at steady rates. Quotations:—Salmon, per lb., 2/-; grilse, per lb., 1/10; trout, 1/6 per lb.; plaice, per 8, large, 8/- to 16/-, medium, 3/- to 4/-; soles, per 9 pairs, large, 20/- to 30/-, medium, 12/6 to 17/6; slips, 2/- to 6/-; whiting, per hake, 2/-; turbots, each, 3/- to 17/6; gurnard, 1/- to 1/6 each; congers, 1/- to 1/6 each; mackerel, per box, 8/- to 15/-. Per half-box—Plaice, 20/- to 60/-; white soles, 20/- to 30/-; ling, 10/- to 14/-; rays, 6/- to 8/-; whiting, 4/- to 25/-; hake, 25/- to 35/-; pollock, 10/- to 15/-; cod, 18/- to 25/-; congers, 8/- to 12/-; lobsters, per 13, best, 10/- to 15/-, medium, 5/- to 8/-; small, 2/- to 3/-.

BILLINGSGATE FISH, July 27.—Supply moderate; demand good. English and Irish salmon, 2/3; Scotch, 2/4; grilse, 1/11; trout, 1/10; soles, 2/6; slips, 2/6; red mullet, 1/3; dories, 5d. per lb.; brill, 14/-; turbot, 21/-; halibut, 14/-; lemon soles, 13/-; English and Aberdeen plaice, 12/-; hake, 7/-; skate, 6/-; live cod, 6/-; dead, 4/6; whiting, 5/6; gurnet, 3/6; haddock, 4/6 per stone; live eels, 22/-; dead, 16/- per draft; lobsters, 20/- to 60/- per score.

GRIMSBY FISH, July 27.—Poor supplies landed by eleven trawlers; prices firm on a keen demand. Soles, 1/10 to 2/-; turbot, 1/8 to 1/9; brills, 1/- per lb.; English plaice, 11/6 to 12/-; medium, 10/6 to 11/-; lemon soles, 15/6 to 16/-; whitings, 5/9 to 6/-; whitches, 9/-; dead halibut, 10/- to 14/-; live cod, 6/- to 8/-; dead, 5/- to 6/9; kit haddocks, 6/-; small, 6/-; gibbed, 6/3 to 6/6 per stone.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT, July 27.—Beef—Scotch long sides, 7/4 to 7/8; short, 8/4 to 8/6; English sides, 7/5; Irish, 6/10 to 7/2; Argentine hindquarters, 6/8 to 6/10; forequarters, 4/8 to 4/10. Mutton—Scotch wethers, 8/4 to 9/-; ewes, 6/8 to 7/-; English wethers, 7/4 to 8/-; ewes, 6/8 to 6/10; lamb, English, 10/- to 10/4; Irish, 8/- to 8/4; Scotch, 8/4 to 9/4. Veal and pork steady.

LONDON BORO AND SPITALFIELDS POTATO, July 27.—Supplies were large, and a slow demand. Essex, Bedfords, and also Lincolns quoted at 6/- to 7/-; Cambridges, 5/6 to 6/- per bag, and Spanish Reds, 7/- to 8/- per box.

SMITHFIELD DEAD MEAT, London Central Markets, Thursday.—Produce arriving here up to 1 p.m. for market or cold store weighed 1,200 tons, being below the day's average deliveries. Of the week's deliveries, 408 tons were British-bred and 792 tons imported from the Colonies and foreign countries, made up as follows:—

	Beef and Veal. Tons.	Mutton and Lamb. Tons.	Pork and Bacon. Tons.	Poultry and Game. Tons.	S'dries. Tons.
British-bred	213	124	35	19	17
Imported	513	224	31	6	18
Total	726	348	66	25	35

Market very slow. Average of the ruling wholesale prices of first quality beef, veal, mutton, lamb, and pork, quoted at per stone of 8lbs.:—London and country killed beef and veal—English long sides 7/2, Irish do. 7/-, Scotch do. 8/-, Scotch short 8/5; veal 7/7. Imported beef and veal—South American chilled hindquarters 6/8, do. fore 4/9; North American chilled hindquarters 7/-, do. fore 5/-; South African chilled 7/10, do. hind 5/1, do. fore 4/2; veal 4/-. London and country killed mutton, lamb, and pork—English mutton 7/10, do. lamb 8/6; Irish mutton 7/5, do. lamb 8/2; Scotch mutton 8/7, do. lamb 8/10; pork 7/1. Imported mutton, lamb, and pork—Australian mutton 5/10, do. lamb 6/8; New Zealand mutton 6/4, do. lamb 6/8; South American mutton 6/3, do. lamb 7/4; frozen pork 5/9.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

LITTLE GREEN, July 27.—Butter markets quiet, but very firm. Eggs still particularly dull, notwithstanding scarcity; values all round tending in buyers' favour. Quotations:—Butter—Fresh creamery, 16/8; extra selected large fresh hen eggs, 16/8 to 17/-; best fresh farmers', 13/6; ordinary, 15/- to 13/3; smalls, 11/3 to 14/-; duck, 13/9 to 14/6; duck, 16/8 per 120.

CORK BUTTER, July 27.—Firsts, 150/-; seconds, 140/-; thirds, 133/-; fresh butter, 143/- per cwt.

PRODUCE.

LONDON, Thursday.—SUGAR market firm, unchanged. Tate's No. 1 Cubes, 47/1½; H.T.S. 46/7½; 1/0½ granulated, 41/7, 42/1½; white crystals, 41/7½, 42/7½; B. whites, 41/4½; yellow crystals, 41/4½. Canadian and American granulated, spot, 41/7½. COFFEE—Auctions of moderate extent met with general quiet support. Costa Rica good, 76/- to 77/-; medium sizes, 72/-, 76/-. Futures steady. September sold 46/7½, December quoted 48/3, March sold 49/3. TEA—Java sales, 4,500 packages cleared to a fair demand at mostly late prices. Pekoe sold 8½d., 10d., broken 9d., 11d., orange 9½d. SPICE—Pepper market firm, quiet. Black Singapore August-October 9½d., 7/-, Pekoe Souchong 8½d., 9½d. Zanzibar cloves spot 9d. white 9 5-16d.; Muntok 9½d. TAPIOCA quiet, but steadily held. Fair flake spot 3 5-16d. RICE not altered. JUTE firm, quiet, and native first marks sellers £30, September £29 10/-, October £29 5/-. Single mark August Dundee sold £30. HEMP—Manila quiet steady. Fair August-October buyers £49 10/-; medium £48 10/-; coarse value £47. SHELLAC active and firm. Fair T.N. spot sold 108/-, August 107/-, 108/-, October 110/-, December 112/6, 112/6. RUBBER in fair support, and rates hardened for Plantation. Spot crepe sold 2/3, 2/3½; August 2/3½, 2/3½, September 2/4, October-December 2/4½, 2/5. Ribbed smoked sheet spot sold 2/3½, 2/3. Fine hard Para spot sold 2/10½, August-September value 2/9, September-October buyers 2/8. Soft fine September 2/5, Ball 1/10. COPRA scarcely £31 15/-, London, Ceylon August-September quoted £38. South October £31. To Marseilles, Ceylon July-September £35 12/6; Malabar August-October buyers £35 10/-. F.M.S. Singapore buyers £35 5/-. September-October £35 5/-; Manila buyers £33. Padang, at £35. GLUCOSE steady. Union Jack Cora Syrup Crystal July 25/-, August-October 23/- per cwt., ex works, London. TALLOW—Australian mutton fair to fine quoted 48/-, 51/-; beef ditto, 48/-, 49/3, and mixed 47/-, 50/- per cwt. Market firm. OILS—Linseed firm. Spot pipes 34/9, barrels ditto 35/9, landed. Rape firm, ordinary brown naked 48/-, 50/-; English refined barrels, 48/-, 50/-. Cotton firm. Crude spot pipes 48/-; refined pipes, pale, 44/6, barrels sweet 52/-, 54/-, as to make. Turpentine stronger. American spot 41/3 per cwt. Petroleum firm. American spot 1/- water white 1/1 per gallon. OILSEEDS—Linseed market firm but quiet. London Calcutta spot and afloat sellers 71/6, July-August 73/6, August-September 73/9, small Bombay ordinary August-September 74/6, small grain ditto 74/-. Rapeseed steady, quiet. Toria July-August and August-September 63/6. Cottonseed firm. London-Egyptian July £13 15/-; Fayoumi September £13 per ton.

LIVERPOOL, Thursday.—CANE SUGAR—Rather more inquiry for the low descriptions, but the high prices asked stop business. COFFEE—No business is reported. COCOA—A fair business put through at firm to rather dearer prices. RICE—Cleaned quietly steady, but only a moderate inquiry. RICE BRAN—Holders are firm, and ask full prices, but buyers remain indifferent. LINSEED firm but inactive. HEMP—Manila steady, without change. SAGO FLOUR—Buyers of Sarawak continue reserved, but sellers make no change in prices. PALM KERNELS very quiet, and no business is passing; spot quoted nominally £18 10/-, August arrival £18 15/-, and September at £19 per ton. PALM OIL slow, without material change. COPRA shows no change. SULPHATE OF AMMONIA unchanged from yesterday. SULPHATE OF COPPER firm at £50 per ton, f.o.b. LOCUST BEANS firm, without change in prices. RANGOON BEANS—White hand-picked firm and dearer; afloat and September-October shipment are both quoted at £18 10/- per ton. TALLOW firm, but without activity. NITRATE OF SODA—A firm tone still prevails at former rates. CASTOR OIL—A quiet market, and spot parcels of Calcutta are held for 41d. to 41½d. per lb. LINSEED OIL fails to attract buyers, and the position is purely nominal. COTTONSEED OIL neglected; no business passing. OLIVE OIL firm at recent advance, but, in absence of business, prices nominal. ROSIN—A steady tone rules, but the value of all grades of American is unaltered. TURPENTINE on the spot steady at quotation of 42/- per cwt. PETROLEUM—Refined oils well held for former rates. LARD on the spot is again a shade easier at 71/- to 71/6 per cwt. for parcels of choice Western.

LONDON, July 27.—Sugar unchanged. Coffee—Futures quiet; September sold at 46/7½; December quoted at 48/3. Tea sales, 5,000 packages Java, fair demand at about late prices. Rice dull. Jute firm; single mark, August, Dundee, sold at £30. Hemp quiet; coarse, August-October, buyers, £47. Shellac firm; August sold at 107/6. Rubber dearer; crepe, spot, sold at 2/3½. Para value 2/10½. Turpentine, 40/6. Others unaltered.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR, July 27.—Market remains unchanged.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

(SECOND REPORT.)

COPPER strong—Cash £3, and forward £2 dearer. Business done—Standard, cash, £105; forward, £100; settlement price, £105. About 75 tons changed hands. Official closing prices—Cash, £105; forward, £99; best selected, £125; strong sheets, £146.

TIN firmer—Cash 5/-, and forward 10/- dearer. Business done—Standard, cash, £165 15s.; forward, £166 15s.; settlement price, £166. About 75 tons changed hands. Official closing prices—Cash, £165 15s.; forward, £166 10s. English ingots, £170 to £171.

SPELTER, £59 to £53.

LEAD—Soft foreign, prompt, £28; forward, £26 15s.; English, £29.

ANTIMONY nominal.

QUICKSILVER—Rothschild's, £17 15s.

MISCELLANEOUS.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (First Report), July 27.—First estimated sales, 4,000 bales. Market opened with a quiet demand. Futures opened 4½ to 6 points under, and at 1 o'clock, are 5 to 3 points under yesterday's close—July-August, 7.53d.; August-September, 7.91d.; October-November, 7.89d.; November-December, 7.86d.; January-February, 7.84d.; March-April, 7.82d. Imports, 12,641 bales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Second Report), July 27.—Sales, 4,000 bales. American in limited request; quotations reduced 6 points. Middling, 8.07. Brazils reduced 6 points. East Indian quiet, reduced 5 points. Egyptian quiet, but quotations raised 5 points; sales, 300 bales. Futures quiet, 4½ to 3½ points under yesterday's close—July, 7.95d.; July-August, 7.93d.; August-September, 7.91d.; October-November, 7.87½d.; January-February, 7.84d.; March-April, 7.82d.; May-June, 7.81d.

LIVERPOOL COTTON (Third Report), July 27.—Sales, 4,000 bales; speculation, 400 bales. Futures closed quiet, 3½ to 31 points under yesterday's close—July, 7.95d.; July-August, 7.94d.; August-September, 7.92d.; September-October, 7.95½d.; October-November, 7.87d.; November-December, 7.85½d.; December-January, 7.84d.; January-February, 7.84½d.; February-March, 7.83d.; March-April, 7.82d.; April-May, 7.82d.; June-July, 7.82d.; July-August, 7.81d. New York 2 to 4 points advance.

WOOL.

DUBLIN WEEKLY, July 27.—There is practically no new or interesting development in the wool markets. The tone all round is firm, with a leaning in the direction, apart from the 1916 clip, and which latter the Government have now appointed certain mediums for taking up delivery of their requirements almost immediately.

BRADFORD, July 27.—Merino quotations are about the same as on Monday, but there is a feeling that the limit has been reached, and one hears less about extremely high rates recently asked. The value of sixty-fours top rates from 4/6½ to 4/7. Fine crossbreds are steady, but medium and low crossbreds show an easier tendency. There is nothing doing in last season's home clip.

LONDON, Thursday.—Catalogues comprising 6,488 bales wool were brought forward this afternoon, including 2,169 bales New Zealand, 1,245 Cape and Natal, 1,103 New South Wales, 392 Queensland, 612 Victorian, 328 West Australian, 22 South Australian, 77 various. Good attendance of buyers, and sales passed off with improved competition, prices ruling firm at current rates.

HAY AND STRAW.

LONDON, July 27.—Fair supplies experienced steady demand at full prices. Quotations:—Best old meadow hay, 140/-; prime meadow hay, 115/-; best clover, 155/-; prime new clover, 120/-; best clover and ryegrass mixture, 135/-; prime new clover and ryegrass mixture, 120/-; best sainfoin, 155/-; best Lucerne, 135/- to 140/-. Straw, 50/- to 52/- per load, delivered.

MANCHESTER, July 27.—On the Produce Exchange, owing to harvesting operations, the demand to-day considerably exceeded supplies. Merchants were particularly offering nothing. Prices ruled in sellers favour. Straw firmer. General quotations:—Best Lincolnshire clover nominally £9 to £10; best meadow hay, £8 to £8 10s; wheaten straw, for feeding purposes, 85/- to 87/6 per ton. All delivered Manchester.

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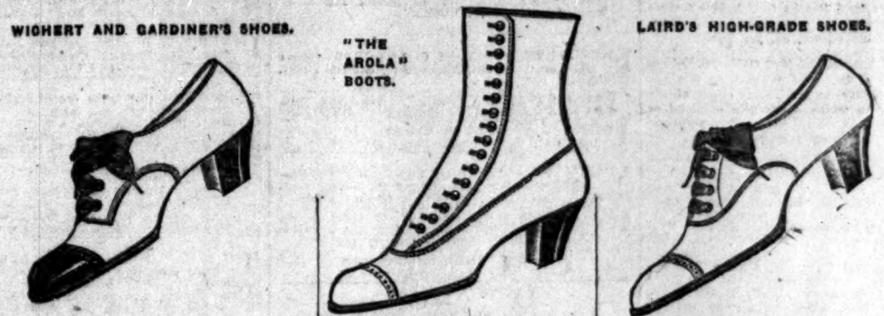

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LAW REPORTS.

BELFAST GENTLEMAN'S ESTATE.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Barton, in the case of Henry Crymble and others v. Sara Rea and others, an application was made on behalf of the plaintiffs, the executors and trustees of the will of the late John Rea, of Dalzien, Annadale, Belfast, for an order determining certain questions arising on the construction of the will of the deceased with reference to the sale of certain freehold house property situated on the Newtownards road and Hornby street, Belfast. It appeared that the deceased, who left a widow and ten children surviving, two of the children being still minors, had entered into a joint speculation with a gentleman named Wade as regards the purchase of land in Belfast, on which they built a number of houses. They were both entitled to the property in equal shares. Under his will, the late Mr. Rea set apart a sum of £800 a year to provide for his children during their minority. It was stated that a gentleman had entered into an agreement to purchase the property at a substantial sum if the sale were sanctioned by the Court, and that all the parties interested were in favour of the proposed sale.

Mr. Justice Barton said he would like to ascertain what could be said on the other side as against the sale, and for that purpose he referred the matter to counsel for his opinion, and adjourned the case till Monday.

Mr. Overend (instructed by Messrs. S. and R. Crymble) appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. Leet (instructed by Messrs. Webb and Webb) for the defendant, Mrs. Rea; Mr. Pringle and Mr. J. Henry (instructed by Messrs. Webb and Webb) for the children.

UNIQUE BEQUEST IN A WILL.

In the Chancery Division yesterday, before Mr. Justice Barton, in the case of McCavana v. Collis and others,

Mr. William McGrath (instructed by Messrs. O'Rorke, McDonald, and Tweed) applied on behalf of one of the defendants, Mr. William J. Moody, that the plaintiff, Patrick McCavana, be directed to submit to the approval of the Attorney-General a scheme for the management and administration of the charitable trusts created by the will of James McKeown, deceased, late of Castle street, Antrim, and for the appointment of trustees thereof, or, in the alternative, that the applicant (Mr. Moody) be at liberty to prepare a scheme in lieu of the plaintiff. The matter, counsel said, arose under the will of James McKeown, who died on the 13th October, 1914. The passage of his will, dated 11th January, 1913, out of which the matter arose was:—"I bequeath to the Protestant and Presbyterian people of the town of Antrim and district the old school building in Castle street, Antrim, recently occupied as a Catholic club, and the two dwelling-houses adjoining, at present let to weekly tenants at 2s. 6d. per week each, arrangements to be made with Wm. J. Moody, of Massereene, the Secretary of the Orange Institution, for its use, said premises to be used solely by others than Roman Catholics, and can be used as minor Orange hall, band room, Sunday school, or any purpose in connection with their Protestant religious beliefs. If the old school is not considered of any advantage to the Protestants above described, the school must be pulled down, the site and houses sold by auction and the proceeds divided equally between the Enniskillen Memorial Orphan Society and the Presbyterian Orphan Society." Counsel said the testator was a Roman Catholic, and the plaintiff, whom he had named as executor, was of the same faith. To remove any difficulty that might arise in the North about his own position, he (Mr. McGrath) might say that he was acting as deputy for another counsel. (Laughter.)

Mr. Herbert Wilson, K.C., who (instructed by Mr. Daniel Neeson) appeared for the plaintiff, said his client was not under any obligation to submit any scheme, and he did not submit any scheme.

Mr. Justice Barton made an order discharging the plaintiff from responsibility in the matter of preparing a scheme, and gave liberty to Mr. Moody to prepare a scheme, the costs, except plaintiff's personal costs, to be paid out of the charity.

Mr. Cusack (who (instructed by Mr. James Robinson) appeared for the Attorney-General, said if the money would not afford a scheme for an Orange hall, it would not be sanctioned, and the money could go to the two orphanages named.

Mr. Holmes was solicitor for the other defendants, the Rev. M. H. F. Collis and the Rev. Thos. West, D.D.

DEPOSIT RECEIPTS CASE.

In the Chancery Division, Dublin, yesterday, before the Master of the Rolls, judgment was delivered in the case of M'Dowell v. M'Neilly. It was an action by Mrs. Jane M'Dowell, widow, and residuary legatee of the late James M'Dowell, a retired Belfast merchant, to have declared null and void a gift of deposit receipts amounting to £1,000 given by the deceased to the Rev. S. H. M'Neilly, of Lisburn, in trust for the Syrian Mission of the Reformed Presbyterian Church. It was claimed that these receipts, which were in the joint names of the deceased and his wife, were in the nature of an advancement to the wife.

The Master of the Rolls said the form of joint deposit receipt used in the Northern banks was different from that in use elsewhere. It provided that either of the parties named could realise the receipt during life, or the survivor after the death of the other. The deceased in this matter had taken the further precaution of retaining possession of the receipts. His Lordship was of opinion that the deceased had under the circumstances reserved to himself the power of revoking the gift, and that he had exercised that power by endorsing the receipts to the defendant in trust for the charity named. The action was accordingly dismissed with costs.

Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., and Mr. R. D. Megaw (instructed by Messrs. C. and J. Black) appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Herbert Wilson, K.C., and Mr. James Andrews (instructed by Messrs. Carson and M'Dowell) for the defendant; and Mr. John Cusack (instructed by Mr. James Robinson) for the Attorney-General.

CONSTRUCTION OF A BARRISTER'S WILL.

In the Chancery Division, Dublin, yesterday, before the Master of the Rolls, the arguments were heard in a summons in the matter of the estate of Henry Dawson, deceased, formerly of Drommartin Castle, Dundrum, barrister-at-law. The plaintiff in the proceedings was John Forsythe, son-in-law of the deceased. The defendant, Colonel Jacob, is also a son-in-law, and the second defendant, Henry Gordon Dawson, is a grandson. It appeared that Emily Vesey Dawson, of 2 Haigh terrace, Kingstown, daughter of Henry Dawson, died in 1914. By her will she made several pecuniary bequests and appointed Mr. David Aston, of Corrig avenue, Kingstown, and Mr. Henry Hunt, then residing at Mount Salus, Dalkey, to be her executors. She did not appoint any residuary legatee. Mr. Hunt renounced, and probate was granted to Mr. Aston. In the administration it was found that the deceased had been receiving dividends on £1,504 Consols standing in the name of her mother, Mrs. Emily Dawson, and also interest on a £600 mortgage. Mr. Aston died during the administration, and Mr. John Forsythe, the plaintiff, took out a grant. It was then discovered that the £600 mortgage was part of a trust fund created by the will of the late Henry Dawson for the benefit of his six daughters, and it was submitted that the £1,504 and the £600 mortgage represented that fund, and was subject to the trusts of Henry Dawson's will. The sole survivors representing the six daughters were Col. W. V. F. Jacob, of Sinclair road, West Kensington, London, and the plaintiff, John Forsythe, of Cheltenham. Colonel Jacob claimed to be entitled to a moiety of the fund, and the plaintiff supported the view that the fund was divisible between himself and Col. Jacob. The next-of-kin of Emily Vesey Dawson contended that she took all the shares acquired by her through her deceased sisters, and that as she was the surviving joint tenant they vested in her absolutely. The main question for the Court was whether under the will of Henry Dawson the shares of each of his daughters who died without children passed to her surviving sisters or her surviving sisters and the personal representatives of such sisters as were dead, or whether Emily V. Dawson, being the last surviving daughter, took the whole fund absolutely.

The Master of the Rolls declared that, in the events which had happened, the property left by the deceased to his daughters who died unmarried went, on the death of Emily Vesey Dawson, the last surviving of such daughters, in equal shares to the representatives of Eleanor and Louisa, who had married.

Mr. T. M. Whitaker (instructed by Mr. R. Gordon Hunt) appeared for the plaintiff; Mr. Matheson (instructed by Mr. George H. Lyster) for Col. Jacob, and Mr. Edward Fitzgerald (instructed by Mr. M. Green Foley) for Henry Gordon Dawson.

THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, July 28, 1916.

SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE.

H.M. COURT OF APPEAL IN IRELAND.—Before the Lord Chancellor. Motion—Good and anor. v. Rep. Church Body.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE. CHANCERY DIVISION.

LORD CHANCELLOR.—Before the Lord Chancellor. In Lunacy. Motions—52nd Section, Roe; 68th Section, Shannon; 52nd Section, Bernard. Petitions—52nd Section, G.S.; do., Quirke; do., Bridge and Bridge; do., Gregg, Jermyn and Co. At Chambers—Pilkington, a minor; Buchanan, minors; M'Cormack, minors, Nooney; Dillon, minors; Gavagan, minors; Hodgens, minors, Lloyd, solr.; Devlin, minors; Workman, minors; Henry, minors, Baker, solr.; Price, a minor; Collis, minors; Coddington, petr., Greene, respt.; Bell, petr., Hamilton, respt. In Lunacy. Before the Registrar, 12—Adj. summons, Parke and M'William; summons, Hardman; do., M'Mahon. Before the Assistant Registrar, 12—Vouch ac., Colfer and Son.

ROLLS.—Motions—Webb v. Webb; Quinn v. Quinn. At Chambers—Grehan, decd., Walsh v. Moore. In Court. Actions—O'Connor v. O'Connor; Watson v. Swayne. Rolls Chambers, 11—Kelly v. Atty.-Genl., sign cert.; Kelly v. Kelly (1912/355), do.; M. Kearney, decd., Kearney v. Kearney, sign cert.; Usborne v. Limerick Market Trustees, sign cert.; Corcoran v. Corcoran, do.; M'Conville v. Quigley, do.; S. Kerr, decd., Fogarty v. Keown, sign cert.; W. M'Cann, decd., M'Cann v. M'Cann; National Bank, Ltd., v. Drought; Colquhoun v. Longvale Brick and Lime Works; J. Rafferty, decd., Rafferty v. Rafferty; M'Cavanagh v. M'Donnell.

THE HON. MR. JUSTICE BARTON.—For Judgment—Hamilton v. Maffett. At Chambers—Lanoue v. M'Cashin; Long v. Long; Cos.' Act and Wm. Hemmersbach; Kenny v. Sweeney; same v. same; Looby, decd., M'Carron v. Looby; Brouder v. Butler; Archer v. Stewart; 2nd Dublin 1009th Starr Bowkett Bldg. Soc. v. Pembroke Laundry; Keon v. Dolan; M'Shane v. Connolly. In Court. Motion—Smith v. Smith. Actions—Hewson v. Greene; Donovan v. O'Brien. The Hon. Mr. Justice Barton's Chambers (at the conclusion of the first part of the Judge's Chamber List)—Dowling v. Delany, sign cert.; Natl. Bank v. Gavan, do.; Harty v. Harty, do.; Kennedy v. Kennedy, 1913/402, sign cert.; Blumberg v. Keogh, do.; Barron v. Barron; Sexton v. Sutton; O'Brien v. O'Brien (1910/1078); Dobbyn v. M'Call; Duncan Alderdice and Co. v. Devlin; Byrne v. Horan; Gwydir v. Gwydir; O'Neill v. Nolan; Fitzgerald v. Dunne.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, 10. Specially Fixed—Cavan Coy. Col. to Breen, F. Breen. 11. Exparte Taxations—Patrick Webb, Lankt. v. W. H. Dunne; Bradburn v. De Vessan, R. H. Morris; Perry v. Perry, S. C. Ross; Perry v. Perry, Knox, Gilliland, and Babington; Perry v. Perry, Tillis, M'Dermott, and Munn; Perry v. Perry, Colquhoun and King; North British and Mercantile Insance. Co. and Finnegan, Crawford and Lockhart; Clifford and Greenan and Vendor and Purchaser Act, 1874, D. X. Keenan; Buckley v. Riordan, M. Healy; Sloan to Carleton, Carleton, Atkinson, and Sloan; O'Neill v. O'Neill, Gleeson; O'Neill v. O'Neill, J. J. M'Grane. Master Denning, 11. At Taxation—Kelly, decd., James J. Kearns; a person of unsound mind, A. F. Baker, Moore, and Sons; Arnold v. Ennis, T. T. Dix and Sons; Glynn v. O'Connor and Courts (Emergency Powers) Act, G. D. Fottrell and Sons; Barry, decd., Wynne and Wynne; Case and ors. v. Finch, H. W. Franck; Chester, decd., Ryan v. Chester, A. O'Hagan and Son; Chester, decd., same v. same, M. Ryan; O'Connell, decd., Ahern v. O'Connell, Moloney and Son; O'Connell, decd., same v. same, Wm. J. Barry; Meehan v. Quirk, Kenny, Stephenson, and Connolly; Sexton v. Hosford, J. C. and A. Blake; Fitzpatrick, decd., Fitzpatrick v. Fitzpatrick, White v. White; Fitzpatrick, decd., same v. same, Miley and Miley; Fitzpatrick, decd., same v. same, Miley and Miley; Coffey, decd., Wm. P. Triston; Lawler v. D.U.T. Co., Tench and Reynolds; Murphy, a minor, M. Larkin and Co.; Walsh, decd., Morris v. Morris, D. J. Higgins; in the matter of an arbitration between Dublin South. Dis. Electric Supply and Kingstown U.D.C., Fredk. Croskerry and Son, Gerald Byrne; do., Gerald Byrne; Wood and Co. v. Figgis, Sons, and Co., Hayes and Sons; same v. same, Wm. Findlater and Co.

LAND JUDGES.—Mr. May, Examiner—Lord Athlumney, rental. Dr. Dick, Examiner. Land Commission Case—W. P. Warren. Receiver Office. Mr. Foot, Examiner, 11. Applications for Directions—Natl. Bank v. Somers, from 21st inst., M. and B. Finnigan, do.; Rearden v. O'Flanagan, Colclough v. Colclough (2 applications); O. G. Orpen; R. Warburton, adjourned till 4th Aug. 11.30—Irish Land Commn. v. de Robeck, Receivers' Accounts—Irish Land Commn. v. de Robeck, from 21st inst., Bowles and French; Martin v. Sayers, O'Rorke, M'Donald, and Tweed.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Dodd, in King's Bench Court No. 2, 11—Arrangements—M. J. Dwyer, H. F. Chidley, E. F. Collins, Hunter and Burland, Scallan and Co., Little and Cullen, Jas. Moran, W. V. Seddall, Scallan and Co.; Heffernan, final exam., Lett and Fetherstonhaugh; DuBelat, motion, Maxwell, Weldon, and Co.; arrangt., do., Hamilton and Craig; Acres, do., E. F. Collins; O'Driscoll, do., E. F. Collins; arrangt., do., O'Brien and Neilson and Son and Dawson; Murphy, exam. witnesses, Hayes and Sons; O'Connell, do., Stewart and Orr; do., final exam., Stewart and Orr; Duffy, audit and divd., W. V. Seddall; Skelly, do., Scallan and Co.; arrangt., do., C. F. Mathews; Norris, audit acct., W. V. Seddall. Before the Chief Registrar, in Chief Clerk, 11—Mangan, acct., C. F. Mathews; Slattery, do., Thompson and M'Neill; Daly, reference, N. L. Moran; arrangt., vch. acct., C. F. Mathews; Guinan, pr. dta. and vch., R. W. MacNeill; Flanagan, settle title and conditions of sale, Crowley and Bolger; Troy, rulings on dts., Hunter and Burland.

KING'S BENCH DIVISION.

In Court 2.—Before the Right Hon. Mr. Justice Dodd. 11.30—Crown Side—Exparte Motions. Civil Side—Exparte Motions. Summonses—Irish Land Commn. v. Flaherty; Northern Advance Co. v. Hennessy and anor.; Cussen v. Liston and ors.; O'Donoghue v. Connell; Irish Land Commn. v. Nally; same v. Fitzgerald; Gilbert v. Sullivan; Crane and Sons v. Kenworthy; Russell v. Kelly; Cook and Sons v. Meeks; Dublin Corpn. v. Harris; MacLoghlin v. Logue; Power and Co. v. O'Reilly; M'Cann v. Knox; Creedon v. Leahy; Robb and Co. v. Meenan; Doyle v. Carpenter; Cottrell and Co. v. Craig; Murphy v. Conway; Hall v. Sullivan; Smithwick and Sons v. Brennan; Sicilian Marble Co. v. Coffey; James v. Murray and Son; Tomlinson v. Scott, Harley, and Co.; Roche Bros. v. O'Brien; Simonton v. Fairbrother; M'Gorisk v. Kerley; M'Evoy v. Cox; Lowry and Co. v. Steen; Brown, Corbett, and Co. v. Coleman; Spillane v. Woodroffe; Cherry Bros. v. Walsh; Phelan and Sons v. Carroll; O'Shea v. Leary; same v. Shea; same v. Sullivan; same v. Spillane; same v. Lehane; Hammond and Co. v. Flower; Mullen v. Carr; Osborne, Flinn, and Co. v. Lane; Semple, M'Lean, and Reid v. Grieve; O'Reilly v. Rea; Riall v. Doyle; Burke v. M'Grane; Crane and Sons v. Wallis; Broadwood and Sons v. O'Connor; Murphy v. Ormonde; Thompson v. Canavan; Molloy v. Robins; Sharp v. Mosley; Plummer Roddis v. Thompson; Fleming v. O'Brien; Dickie v. Murphy; Bamfords v. M'Culla; Blumberg v. M'Cormick and anor.; M'Grath v. M'Kenna; Fitzgerald v. Byrne; Windgarth v. Hutton. Garnishee Motions—M'Avoy v. O'Hagan; Traynor v. O'Brien; Williamson v. same. Attendance Orders—Fitzgerald v. Byrne; O'Brien v. Burton; Judd v. Fay. Motions on Notice—MacGillycuddy v. Foley; same v. Casey (Patk.); Ross v. Casey (Daniel); Flanagan v. O'Connor; M'Donald and Morrison v. Faulkner; same v. same; Schweppes v. M'Cormack; Meaney v. Vaughan; Webb v. Webb; Nestor v. Mahony; Maddock v. M'Kiernan, Sweeney v. M'Carthy and anor.; Rylands Glass and Engineering Co. v. Garland; Stuart v. Stuart; Roche v. Kenyon; Wright v. Bir No. 1 R.D.C.; Stewart v. Stewart; Heard v. Rea; same v. Crannitch; same v. Lee (James); same v. Lee (Ellen); same v. Hennessy; Holton and Co. v. Kennedy; Farrell v. Wynne; Shaw v. Moran; Irish Telephone (New System) Co. v. Brights; Cooney v. Stevenson; same v. same; Donovan v. Driscoll; D'Arcy and Son v. Considine; O'Donnell v. O'Donnell; M'Neill v. O'Beirne; Imperial Tobacco Co. v. M'Allister; M'Hale v. Grattan and anor.; Gavin Low v. M'Cormack; Lindsay v. Fitzgerald; Monks v. Morhan; Caulfield v. Mullens and anor.; M'Inerney v. the Co. Council of Cavan; M'Neill and Co. (Dublin); Northern Banking Co. v. Mackey; Hodge v. Calvert.

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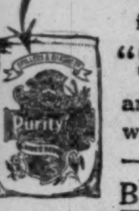

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The usual routine business was transacted and the books were signed. Cheques amounting to £1,316 0s. 10d., were drawn in payment of accounts. The number of patients remaining in hospital on July 22nd was 67, including 11 soldiers, and in the Convalescent Home, 7.

The Committee gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions, etc.:—

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SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

R. Moss, the County Limerick trainer, won three of the six races at Limerick meeting yesterday.

Mr. B. O'Donnell, of Tipperary, brought off a double event at Limerick with Brown Label and Yoke.

After Alice Rockthorn won the Munster Plate at Limerick yesterday, odds of 20 to 1 were offered and accepted about her chance for the Galway Plate.

Alice Rockthorn and Carriganeeny each put up 4lb. penalties in the Galway Plate on account of winning at Limerick.

S. Avila, who rode Carriganeeny to victory at Limerick yesterday, has joined the Army, but hopes to be able to ride Mr. Kirwan's horse in the Galway Plate.

Five races at Limerick yesterday were won by Southern-trained horses, the only Curragh-trained horse to score being Alice Rockthorn.

Poole's team at Baldoyle has been augmented by the arrival from England of Mountmills, Paul Lamerie, and Tate's Map.

His Majesty has supported the programme for the Newmarket September Meeting by nominating horses for eight of the races, the champion sprinter, Friar Marcus, being engaged twice; also Sir Dighton. His other nominations are Lucknow, Llewellyn, La Coquille, and Sammarco.

The Earl of Derby has challenged for the Whip with Hasta (4 years). In the event of a contest resulting, it will take place at the Second October Meeting.

The Epsom Derby for 1918 closed with 287 entries, including nine made in Paris and six in New York. His Majesty has taken five nominations—for colts by Bayardo, Sunstar, Marcovil, Santry, and Picton.

His Majesty has also taken five subscriptions to the Oaks of the same year, which closed with 205 entries, seven being French and one American. In this race His Majesty's fillies are by Sunstar (2), Spearmint, Marcovil, and Roi Herode.

CRICKET.

MILITARY OF IRELAND v. MR. R. H. LAMBERT'S XI.

To-day the match between the Military of Ireland and Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI., in aid of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Club, North Wall, will commence in the College Park, and granted a continuance of fine weather, the match, which is under the patronage of General Sir John Maxwell and the Provost of Trinity College, is certain to attract a large and fashionable attendance. The Military XI., which was organised by Lieutenant J. W. F. Crawfurd, the old Phœnix cricketer, is very strong in batting and bowling, while Mr. Lambert was successful in getting together a very useful all-round side.

Apart from the sporting character of the event, the match should possess strong attractions from the social standpoint. The promoters have arranged for the band of the Royal Irish Regiment to be in attendance to-day, and to-morrow the music will be provided by the band of the 6th Reserve Cavalry Regiment, while luncheons and teas will be served in the Engineering School, which has been converted for the occasion into a refreshment room. A large number of wounded soldiers have been invited, and soldiers in uniform and schoolboys will be admitted at half-price. Originally it was intended to commence each day at 3 o'clock, but it was subsequently decided to start half an hour earlier. Ample arrangements have been made in the way of seating accommodation, and to meet the requirements of the large number of ticket holders, the Irish Rugby Football Union have placed at the disposal of the organisers a number of seats from the Lansdowne road enclosure. Play will commence to-day, as stated, at 2.30, and visitors to the College Park, which is at present looking its best, in addition to assisting a most deserving object, may confidently rely on witnessing two good days' cricket. The revised teams are as follows:—

Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI.—P. F. Quinlan (Dublin University), G. W. F. Kelly, R. W. Nicholls (Phœnix), R. H. Lambert, W. Harrington, S. C. Smith, D. A. H. Milling (Leinster), R. M. Power, P. M. Rath (Pembroke), R. J. Ogden (Leinster), L. Bookman (R. and S.P.U.).

Military of Ireland.—Major R. B. Rickman (5th Sherwood Foresters), Major F. W. Price (6th Res. Cavalry Regt.), Capt. F. J. Scott-Murray (10th R.D.F.), Captain W. P. Hinton (3rd R.I. Regt.), Lieut. J. W. F. Crawford (O.T.C.), Lieut. Cox (R.D.F.), Lieut. J. Shields (4th North Leicester Howitzer Brigade), Captain L. Weigall (Lincoln Regt.), Sergeant Preece (10th R.D.F.), Corporal W. E. Astill (4th Leicester Regt.), and Corporal W. Brown (4th Leicester Regt.).

10th ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS' CLUB. FIXTURES CANCELLED.

Hon. secretaries of clubs having fixtures with the 10th R.D. Fusiliers are requested by Lieut. Cox, the hon. secretary of the club, to cancel them, as the Fusiliers are unable to keep the engagements made. Second Lieutenant Gorry, 11th Royal Dublin Fusiliers, hopes to carry out the fixtures arranged for the 10th Battalion if the change is acceptable.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE.

Military of Ireland v. Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI. (first day). College Park, 2.30.

GOLF.

GYMKHANA AT CLONTARF.

A novel attraction will be provided in connection with to-morrow's gymkhana at the Clontarf Club in the shape of a match between Miss Georgie Lauder, of Sutton, and J. Martin, the Milltown professional. Miss Lauder, whose handicap is plus 1, is one of the finest iron players among our Irish lady golfers, and as the Clontarf green, except at a couple of holes, will not materially handicap her in the matter of long driving, she should, with her handicap, give a good account of herself. The match will be played at 11.30, and the afternoon will be devoted to open mixed foursomes, driving, putting, approaching and putting, and other competitions. The proceeds will be devoted to the Red Cross Society and the St John Ambulance Corps.

CASTLE CLUB.—An entertainment will be given a number of wounded soldiers next Sunday at 2.30 p.m. The committee trust that as many members and associates as possible will attend.

PORTSTEWART CLUB.—Ladies' Challenge Cup—Third Round: Miss J. C. Alexander (20) beat Miss E. Chance (24), 4 and 2; Miss M. C. Hay (12) beat Miss Chance (20), after a tie; Miss M. C. Alexander (10) beat Miss M. Gardner (13), after a tie; Miss Jauncey (19) beat Miss Marshall (24), 4 and 3. Semi-Final: Miss J. C. Alexander beat Miss M. C. Hay, 3 and 1; Miss M. C. Alexander beat Miss Jauncey, after a tie. Final (18 holes): Miss M. C. Alexander beat Miss J. C. Alexander, 1 up. A match was played between E. F. Carter and M. Martin (Royal Portrush), and the Portrush professional, Hugh McNeill, and the local pro., W. Coltart, in which McNeill went round in 70, equalling the record for the course, and Coltart in 73. The professionals beat the amateurs by 3 up.

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SPORTING NEWS.

LIMERICK MEETING. YESTERDAY.

The racing at Limerick yesterday, while not quite up to the usual standard at this venue, provided a good afternoon's sport, and, with the weather of a thoroughly seasonable kind, visitors had a very pleasant outing, which was made all the more enjoyable by reason of the fact that most of the races were won by favourites. R. Moss, the ex-jockey, who now has a string of horses under his care at Patrick's Well, Limerick, had a very successful day, three of the six races falling to horses trained at his establishment. He led off well, when First o' May won the July Plate in easy style from his stable companion, Rathleague, and two others. Brown Label, who, taking advantage of a very quick beginning, cantered in front of eight others all through the race for the Shannon Plate, was the second winner from the stable, and Carriganeeny, by winning the Maiden Steeplechase, completed the treble event. The most interesting race of the day was the Munster Plate, in which Alice Rockthorn and Lautus, two fancied candidates for the Galway Plate, were afforded an opportunity of a public gallop. Lautus ran very well for two and a half miles, at which stage he looked like winning, but, after making a mistake at the second last fence, he never seemed to recover properly again. Lady Sue was at this stage in front, but as they went up the hill on the far side Alice Rockthorn quickly drew up to her, and, forging ahead soon afterwards, came away to win in easy style. Alice Rockthorn now puts up a 4lb. penalty for the Galway Plate, but, in view of the manner in which she outstayed the others in yesterday's race, which was over three miles, she must hold a big chance over the stiff two and a half miles in the Western race. Dunaille had an easy journey in the Thomond Plate, and this was his third successive win. In the last race Yoke had a similarly easy win, and the victory completed a double event for Mr. B. O'Donnell, who has not had the best of luck of late. Details:—

2.0—JULY PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Two miles.
Mr. Jos. Widger's br. g. FIRST O' MAY, by Egerton—Merry May, 6, 10-8 .. E. Houlihan 1
Mr. S. Gwyer's RATHLEAGUE, 6, 11-11 C. Hawkins 2
Mr. W. Harty's MULLACASH, 5, 9-7 (car. 9-8) H. Harty 3
Also ran:—Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Mona Righ, 6, 10-0 (J. Burns). (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. FIRST O' MAY, 5 to 2 Rathleague, 3 to 1 Mullacash, 4 to 1 Mona Righ.
First o' May cut out the work from Rathleague, Mullacash, and Mona Righ, and, making all the running, won easily by three lengths; forty lengths separated second and third.

2.30—SHANNON PLATE of 100 sovs.; second received 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. Six furlongs and about 100 yards.
Mr. B. O'Donnell's br. m. BROWN LABEL, by Cunctator—Viel Verloren, 5, 8-9 .. M. Beary 1
Mr. Jos. Widger's SINGLE STICK, 5, 10-5 Joe Canty 2
Mr. J. P. Hogan's ARCHIAS, 4, 8-2 .. S. Regan 3
Also ran:—Mr. W. Power's Ethel H., 5, 10-11 (A. Barrett); Mr. E. Talbot's Naughty Earl, 5, 10-5 (F. Hunter); Mr. W. Wallis' Eager Princess, 4, 9-7 (T. Burns); Mr. J. Dwyer's St. Gerard, a, 8-9 (P. Lynch); Major Edwards' Yorkshire Lad, 4, 9-0 (Joe Harty); Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Erato, 3, 8-7 (H. Smith). (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. Ethel H., 3 to 1 Single Stick, 5 to 1 each BROWN LABEL and Eager Princess, 8 to 1 Naughty Earl, 10 to 1 Archias, 20 to 1 any other.
St. Gerard was left, and Erato fell after a furlong. Brown Label jumped off in front of Archias, Eager Princess, Ethel H., and Singlestick, and, coming right away, won in a canter by eight lengths; two lengths separated second and third. Naughty Earl was fourth, Ethel H. fifth, and Eager Princess next.
The winner was bought in for 52 sovs.

3.10—MUNSTER PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Three miles.
Mr. Anthony's br. m. ALICE ROCKTHORN, by The Gull—Alice Blackthorn, a, 10-12 Mr. P. Nugent 1
Mr. J. P. Hogan's LADY SUE, a, 10-9 A. Hogan 2
Major Dixon's DUNDESERT, a, 9-10 .. H. Harty 3
Also ran:—Mr. W. Murphy's Our Park, 6, 9-7 (J. M'Cormack); Mr. C. Quaid's Uncle Charlie, a, 9-2 (E. Davy); Mrs. P. Sheehan's Lautus, 6, 10-9 (P. Sheehan). (Winner trained by Owner at the Curragh.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Lautus, 3 to 1 ALICE ROCKTHORN, 4 to 1 Lady Sue, 5 to 1 Dundesert, 20 to 1 any other.
Lady Sue made play from Our Park, Dundesert, Alice Rockthorn, and Uncle Charlie, with Lautus in the rear for two miles. Lautus then went on second, but, making a bad mistake at the second last fence, he dropped back, and Alice Rockthorn, challenging Lady Sue, quickly got the better of her, and won easily by six lengths; a head separated second and third. Our Park was fourth and Lautus next. Uncle Charlie did not complete the course.

3.45—THOMOND PLATE of 100 sovs.; second received 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. One mile two furlongs and about 100 yards.
Mr. J. R. O'Connor's br. h. DUNAILLE, by Sir Edgar—Lady Hartstown, 6, 10-7 T. Burns 1
Mr. Hederman's FANATIC, 5, 8-9 ...C. Aylin 2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's ZEFUS, 3, 10-2 Mr. W. Parkinson 3
Also ran:—Mr. G. Kennedy's Rickety Kate, 4, 9-2 (J. A. Finn); Mr. J. Murphy's Symont, 5, 8-12 (P. Lynch); Mr. Anthony's Palmless, 3, 8-9 (W. Williams). (Winner trained by Mr. J. Dwyer at Cashel.)
Betting—2 to 1 each agst. DUNAILLE and Zefus, 4 to 1 Rickety Kate, 8 to 1 each Symont and Fanatic, 100 to 6 Palmless.
Fanatic made play from Dunaille, Zefus, Palmless, and Symont, and they ran practically in this order until a couple of furlongs from home, when Dunaille took command, and won easily by two lengths; four lengths separated second and third. Palmless was fourth, Symont fifth, and Rickety Kate next.

4.15—MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. Weight for age. Two miles and a half.
Mr. H. Kirwan's ch. g. CARRIGANEENY, by Cannock Chase II.—Rose Amber, 5, 11-5 S. Avila 1
Mr. E. J. Hope's LITTLE SLAVEY, 5, 11-5 Mr. L. Brabazon 2
Lord Decies' NUPTIAL FLIGHT, 5, 11-5 T. Kelly 3
Also ran:—Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Sweet Vigilans, 5, 11-0 (H. Smith); Mr. J. O'Dwyer's Lady Sterling, 5, 11-5 (W. Gadsen); Mr. M. Kelly's Paddy H., 4, 10-5 (P. Hennessy). (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)
Betting—5 to 4 on CARRIGANEENY, 3 to 1 Nuptial Flight, 5 to 1 Little Slavey, 20 to 1 any other.
Carriganeeny settled down in front of Little Slavey, Lady Sterling, Nuptial Flight, and Sweet Vigilans, and, making all the running, won in a canter by twelve lengths; ten lengths separated second and third.

4.45—HOLIDAY PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. Two miles.
Mr. B. O'Donnell's ch. f. YOKE, by Captivation—Golden Egg, 4, 10-5 .. Mr. F. J. Beary 1
Mrs. N. Sikes' KATE'S BROTHER, 4, 10-0 Mr. N. Sikes 2
Mr. Manning's ISLAND LAD, 5, 10-0 Mr. B. Kirby 3
Also ran:—Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Miss Slasher, 3, 11-1 (Mr. W. J. Parkinson); Knight of Glin's Ballyhena, 4, 10-7 (Mr. M. Kirby); Mr. P. O'Brien's Sir Arthur, 4, 10-3 (Mr. J. Murphy); Mrs. Manley's O'Leary V.C., 4, 10-3 (Mr. J. Manley). (Winner trained Privately.)
Betting—6 to 4 agst. YOKE, 2 to 1 Miss Slasher, 5 to 1 Ballyhena, 6 to 1 Island Lad, 20 to 1 any other.
Yoke showed the way to Kate's Brother, Glenpatrick, Island Lad, Sir Arthur, and Miss Slasher, with O'Leary, V.C., last, and continuing in front throughout, won in a canter by four lengths; the same separated second and third. Miss Slasher was fourth and O'Leary, V.C., next.

NEWMARKET SELECTIONS FOR WINDSOR.

College Plate—GOLD ROSE.
Village Welter—MELKARTH.
Royal Borough Handicap—CLEMATIS.
Bridge Plate—FERRYCARRIG FILLY.
Forest Handicap—WORMLEIGHTON.
Clewer Plate—VALHALLA II.

LINGFIELD MEETING CURTAILED.

Yesterday's issue of the *Racing Calendar* states that "The Stewards of the Jockey Club, in view of the fact that Friday, August 4th next, is to be generally observed by Churches of all denominations throughout the country as a day for the holding of a Special Service, invited the Stewards of Lingfield to discuss with them the desirability of holding the races arranged for that day. The Stewards of Lingfield, having considered the question, decided to abandon the programme arranged for August 4th, with the exception of the Lingfield Park Stakes, which is postponed to the following day.

(ADVERTISEMENT.)
DIAMOND SPECIAL.—No change. *206. *109.

ROYAL WINDSOR MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.30—THE COLLEGE T.Y.O. PLATE of £150. Five furlongs.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Tenacity	8	9	C. by Willonyx—Pampas Grass	8	7
Gold Rose	8	9	C. by Bachelor's Double—Nydian	8	7
C. by Thrush—Clarilaw	8	7	Contention	8	7
All Silk	8	7	Miss Mary K.	8	4
C. by Mauvezin—Cambric	8	7	Flavia	8	4
C. by Picton—Melinda	8	7	Iras	8	4
Dark Legend	8	7	Queen Kitty	8	4
Faringdon	8	7	Fanusha	8	4
Cadi	8	7	F. by Desmond—Welbury	8	4
Rosonyx	8	7	F. by Lycaon—Ardrogena	8	4
Bagarra	8	7	Peg o' My Heart	8	4
Mataro	8	7	Hornet's Double	8	4
Irish Emigrant	8	7	C. by Marcovil—Serin	8	4
Pot Herb	8	7	F. by Lochryan—Whim	8	4
Cherokee	8	7	Kilcolla	8	4
Greenroom	8	7	Desla	8	4
Quarryman	8	7	Second Sight	8	4
Andreas	8	7	F. by St. Angelo—Aunt Maud	8	4
Prince Frusquin	8	7			
Gambado	8	7			
The Speaker	8	7			
C. by Symington—Kilkenny Lass	8	7			

2.0—THE VILLAGE WELTER HANDICAP of £103. Winner to be sold for £50. Six furlongs.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Neville Holt	6	9	7	Bluerock	3	7	9
Ronaldo	5	9	2	Picaflor	4	7	9
Velociter	a	9	0	Royal Bucks	3	7	9
Francois	5	8	11	Transvaal	5	7	7
Oversight	a	8	9	Flashendell	5	7	7
Pip Pip Pip	4	8	8	South Parade	5	7	6
Ravello	4	8	7	Fissure	4	7	6
Castleton	a	8	7	I.M.D.	3	7	6
Verst	4	8	6	Fly Car	3	7	6
Iron Duke	4	8	5	No Ball	3	7	5
Michigan	4	8	4	Happy Days	3	7	5
Mofat	a	8	4	Prince Rupert	3	7	4
Melkarth	5	8	3	Bank Holiday	3	7	3
Black Devil	5	8	2	Comitius	6	7	3
Sea Voyage	4	8	1	Ballast Mor	6	7	2
Leisure	3	8	0	Sennowe	3	7	1
Blueground	3	8	0	Criado	6	7	0
Montmartre	a	7	13	Sailor Joe	5	7	0
Farimore	5	7	13	Santicola	3	7	0
Artist Square	4	7	11	Blisworth	3	7	0
Melton Flier	5	7	10	Billeter	3	7	0
Fakir III.	4	7	10	Flotation	3	7	0
				Nickel	5	7	0

2.45—THE ROYAL BOROUGH THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP of £500. Second £50. One mile.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Ferox	9	0	Clematis	7	7
Blackadder	8	5	Escomb	7	7
Jack Annandale	8	4	Clan Ronald	7	5
Dark Sapphire	8	2	Con Cregan	7	4
Gilbert the Filbert	8	1	Sweet Sorrow	6	13
Trim	7	11	Duncan	6	13

3.15—THE BRIDGE TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of £103. Colts, 8st. 12lb.; fillies and geldings, 8st. 9lb. Winner to be sold for £50. Five furlongs.

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
C. by Salomon—Castle Hampton	8	12	G. by Picton—Lady Syme	8	9
Buckden	8	12	Turbite	8	9
Whitehall	8	12	You Two	8	9
Turba Nova	8	12	G. by Dumbarton Castle—Malvis	8	9
Henry Clay	8	12	F. by Bachelor's Double—Ferry-carrig	8	9
Glenalvon	8	12	Lucrece	8	9
Queen's Lancer	8	12	Golly Eyes	8	9
C. by Minoru—Miss Archer	8	12	F. by Vamose—La Soitte	8	9
Mini Rifle	8	12	Littlemore	8	9
Morris Dancer	8	12	Toussainte	8	9
Contention	8	12	Hongroise	8	9
Resource	8	9	Lady Randy	8	9
Onyx	8	9	F. by Willonyx—Monte Fiore	8	9
F. by Primer—Water Nymph	8	9	F. by Challacombe—Flight of Ages	8	9
F. by Flotsam—Glencairn Maid	8	9	Ashow	8	9
Koum Kaleh	8	9	F. by Bridge of Allan—Farce II.	8	9
F. by Dinneford—Valkyr	8	9	Golden Cup	8	9
Chips	8	9			
Minway	8	9			
Pitch and Toss	8	9			

3.50—THE FOREST HANDICAP of £150 added to a sweepstakes of £5 each for starters. Five furlongs.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Hornet's Beauty	a	8	6	Amanthe	3	7	7
Wormleighton	5	8	13	Joy Wheel	3	7	7
Masboot	5	8	12	Bramble Twig	3	7	5
Eager Eyes	4	8	8	Erin's Pride	3	7	4
Colour System	4	8	7	Black Walnut	5	7	3
Prospero	4	8	5	Glass Rock	4	7	3
Foolish Fancy	4	8	3	General Wade	6	7	3
Highwayside	4	8	3	Giant Stride	5	7	3
Polygram	4	8	3	Iron Duke	a	7	3
Amphitryon	3	8	2	Kilcaria	4	7	1
Sunni	5	8	0	Pelopia	3	7	1
Duggie	5	7	12	King's Zenith	3	7	0
Tingvalla	4	7	10	Young Man	3	7	0
MacChanter	a	7	9	Galla	3	6	11
Corisol	5	7	8	Little Mabel	4	6	9
Wynbury	6	7	8	Sudden Squall	5	6	9
Irish Brigade	3	7	7	Doxy	3	6	7
				Cobbler's Wax	3	6	7

4.20—THE CLEWER PLATE of £103. Weight for age. One mile and a half.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Desmond M.	4	9	0	Reigning Star	3	7	7
Valhalla II.	4	8	9	Despotic	3	7	7
Dukla	4	8	6	Evan	3	7	7
Giacomi	3	7	12	Arco	3	7	4
Louviers d'Or	3	7	12	Fiorimel	3	7	4
Wigmore	3	7	7	Minorotas	3	7	4

ARRIVALS.—Andreas, Arcot, Artist's Square, Auldana, Billiter, Blackadder, Black Walnut, Blisworth, Buckden, Cherokee, Cade, Clan Ronald, Clarilaw colt, Cobbler's Wax, Castleton, Desmond M., Duncan, Eager Eyes, Ferox, Fiorimel, Flotation, Fly Car, Gambado, Glass Rock, Gold Rose, Golly Eyes, Gurkha, Iron Duke, Irish Brigade, Jack Annandale, Joy Wheel, King's Zenith, Koum Kaleh, Llanthony, MacChanter, Murrays, Melkarth, Menlo, Melton Flier, Michigan, Memory, Morris Dancer, Mofat, Miss Mary K., Nickel, Pampas Grass colt, Pitch and Toss, Queen's Lancer, Lady Syme gelding, Rubber King, Regal, Seigle, Superior, Sweet Sorrow, Turba Nova, Trim, Torloisk, Toadstone, Volta, Whim filly, Wigmore, and Wynbury.

SCRATCHINGS.

All engagements in Lady James Douglas' name—Harleston.

Forest Handicap—Bird's Nest. Apprentices' Plate—Ganador and Tubantia. Clewer Plate—Bewlay, Tubantia, and The Tenter. Bridge Two Years Selling—Dr. Sym and Income colt. Datchet Welter—St. Stephen's. Rays Handicap—Duntryleague. St. George's Handicap—Preference. Eton Stakes—Ecurie. All Windsor engagements—Eleanor M.

NEWBURY MEETING, SATURDAY, AUGUST 12.

NEWBURY AUTUMN CUP (handicap) of 500 sovs. (a Cup value 50 sovs., or specie, at option of winner, and remainder in specie). Second receives 50 sovs. and the third 25 sovs. About two miles and a furlong.

WEIGHTS.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Achtoi	4	9	0	Nisus	3	7	2
Hasta	4	8	7	Waterbed	4	7	1
The Revenge	4	8	5	Sybarite	4	7	1
Troubadour	5	8	4	Capital	5	7	0
Redwood	a	8	2	Race Rock	4	6	13
The Ant	5	8	2	Search	4	6	12
St. Eloi	4	7	13	Dark Opal	4	6	11
Prawle Point	5	7	11	Double Ditch	4	6	9
Aboukir	5	7	11	Llanthony	4	6	7
Pollen	5	7	10	Brownil	4	6	4
Sealby	4	7	8	Regal	4	6	4
Dalmatian	a	7	6	Toadstone	4	6	4
Herode-Agrippa	4	7	5	Rubber King	6	6	0
Ajaccio	4	7	3	Giacomi	3	6	0

NEWMARKET THIRD EXTRA MEETING, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

THE ST. IVES HANDICAP of 800 sovs. Second receives 50 sovs., third 25 sovs. out of the plate. Rous Course (five furlongs).

ENTRIES.

	Age.		Age.
Friar Marcus	4	Ciceromar	4
Hornet's Beauty	a	Bos	3
Cou-cou	6	Helvetia	3
Wynbury	6	Linen	3
Mount William	5	Foxton	3
Trinity Square	5	Bayard	3
Sunni	5	Verdun	3
Eleanor M.	5	Preference	3
Torloisk	4	Comedienne	3
Vanitie	4	Amphitryon	3
Eager Eyes	4	Rock Ahoy	3
Foolish Fancy	4	Polyphonic	3
Chaplain	4	Argos	3
Birdseye	4	Corisol	3
Tingvalla	4	Dusky Boy	3
Serapis	4	Silver Star	3
Barbed Wire	4		

BILLIARDS.

REECE v. HARRIS.—At Thurston's, Leicester square, London, yesterday afternoon, Harris, in receipt of 1,700 start in 10,000 up, had much the better of matters, reaching his points by scoring 442 for an average of 27, against 225 and average of 13. The leader made 106, 177, and 91 (unfinished), and Reece 135 (full), 43, and 39. Interval scores:—Harris (in play), 4,121; Reece, 2,298. At snooker-pool, Harris (receiving 10 start) easily won the first two by 81 to 27 and 68 to 37, but Reece secured the third at 83 to 44.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

WINDSOR, THURSDAY NIGHT.

Beyond the Royal Borough Handicap, a race of 500 sovs., to be decided on a mile of the round course, the Windsor programme for to-morrow is not of much importance. However, capital entries were obtained for a majority of the races, and the sport is almost certain to be interesting. The going is likely to be somewhat firm. My selections are:—

College Plate—Gold Rose.
Village Welter—Royal Bucks or Michigan.
Royal Borough Handicap—Blackadder.
Bridge Plate—Queen's Lancer.
Forest Handicap—Irish Brigade or Highwayside.
Clewer Plate—Persse's selected.

Chanticleer.

DUBLIN COAL STRIKE.

NO SETTLEMENT YET.

Some confusion appears to have arisen in connection with the circumstances which have led to the present deadlock in the Dublin coal trade. Inquiries amongst coal merchants yesterday elicited the information that the origin of the differences was the persistent demands of the men, which created constant stoppages. These demands culminated in the middle of June, when the men demanded, without notice, an increase in the rate of wages from 8d. to 1s. per ton. The discharge of the cargoes of boats was stopped. The ss. St. Mungo, for instance, which was partly discharged when the men left her and refused to resume work, was lying for over a week doing nothing, and had to be sent away with a half cargo. These men, it is stated, were regularly earning over £4 per week at the old rate of wages. After a time the stocks of coal gave out, because no coal could be brought under these conditions, and the draymen and yardmen were put out of employment, although they were willing to work, comparatively few of them being in sympathy with the demands of the men. The Lord Mayor asked the members of the Coal Merchants' Association to see him on the subject. They pointed out that there was no justification for the demands, but in view of the inconveniences that would likely be caused to the public, and the serious loss involved by shutting down their yards, they agreed to offer one penny per ton advance in the rate of wages. This offer, in other words, meant an advance on the pre-war standard of 5½d. to 9d. In the opinion of the merchants, most of the men are willing to resume work, but they apparently have determined not to unload the ss. Enda, the property of the Dublin General Steamship Company (Michael Murphy, Ltd.). The Association has determined that until this steamer has been unloaded work generally shall not be resumed. The prolongation of the stoppage is apparently due to a few men, who exercise such influence over the others as to prevail on them not to undertake the discharge of this vessel.

As an instance of the wages that the men were earning, it may be mentioned that the ss. Dublin was recently discharged on the basis of the terms which the merchants have offered as a settlement—viz., 9d. per ton—and it worked out that each man for ten hours' work earned £1 3s. One of the principal points upon which the masters insist is that steamers should be discharged as they arrive, as has always been the case in Dublin and other ports. Steamers would thus be enabled to discharge here on the tide, and catch the tide on the other side of the Channel. If a steamer, for instance, arrives at 6 p.m., and does not sail on the following morning, she is held up here until the following tide—twenty-four hours—instead of the usual time of twelve hours for discharging. This would make a very considerable difference in the rate of freight ruling at the port. As regards the question of working during the hours in which martial law prevails, it is pointed out by the merchants that the military authorities have notified their willingness to make arrangements by which men working on the quays shall not be interfered with.

DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS BOARD.

The weekly meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board was held yesterday, Mr. William Crowe, Chairman, presiding. Other members present were:—

Alderman James Moran, J.P. (Vice-Chairman); Sir James Murphy, Bart., D.L.; Thomas M. O'Beirne, T.C.; Alderman Alfred Byrne, M.P.; James Vaughan, T.C.; Richard K. Gamble, J.P.; Frederick H. Hall, Thomas R. McCullagh, Laurence Martin, George Byrne, J.P.; James W. Hill, J.P.; David Barry, H. G. Burgess, S. S. McCormick, J.P.; Walter Baird, John Hollwey, William Hewat, and Wm. J. Dollar, J.P.

DREDGING OF THE PORT.

The weekly return showed that 6,975 tons were dredged last week as compared with 24,000 tons during the corresponding week last year.

Alderman Byrne asked whether the reduction was for the betterment of the port. He thought it was another instance of the Board's false economy. Did the Board want to drive the trade of the port to Belfast?

Mr. Hewat said that the reduction was forced on them by the necessity for economy.

Alderman Moran thought that if the Board were going to make a glorified canal of the port they had better say so.

Upon the suggestion of Mr. Burgess it was decided to ask the Engineer for a report showing separately the amount of dredging in the river and the amount at the bar.

MUNITION WORK FOR EMPLOYES.

A letter was read from the Ministry of Munitions referring to the Board's letter asking whether employment could be found for some of the Board's employés at munition work in consequence of the Board having had to reduce their staff. Particulars were asked for showing the skill and qualifications of each man in order that inquiries might be made with a view to putting the men at munition work.

Alderman Byrne inquired why a delay of eight weeks occurred since the passing of the resolution asking the Ministry of Munitions to provide work for the men.

The Secretary stated that he carried out the order of the Board in the usual way.

RESIGNATION OF SIR JOHN GRIFFITH AND ENGINEER.

Mr. W. H. Litchfield wrote—"Owing to an accident I have been unable to attend the meetings of the Board for the past few weeks. I was sorry to see in last week's agenda notice of Sir John Griffith's resignation, and I trust he may be induced to withdraw it. It would, in my opinion, be a great pity if the experience and advice of Sir John were lost to the Board. As regards the Engineer, it seems to me that the consideration of his resignation might be put off for a few months in order that the economies sanctioned by the Board be given a fair trial. In the meantime I feel sure that the Board may count upon Mr. Griffith's loyal help. No doubt if the Board had an experienced general manager it would be better for all concerned."

Alderman Byrne asked whether the letter meant that all the economies which the Board had effected through the dismissal of workmen were going to result in the employment of a general manager.

The letter was marked "noted."

John Walker, who had been in the employment of the Board previous to his deportation to England after the rebellion, wrote asking whether he would get back his employment and also asking the Board's sanction for payment of his back pay.

It was decided to pay any money due to him, and to refer the question of his re-employment to the Engineer.

The Board subsequently went into Committee to consider the resignations tendered at the previous meeting by Sir John Griffith and Mr. Griffith, Engineer-in-Chief.

SWIMMING.

PEMBROKE CLUB.

Committee meeting this evening at 8.45; club photo. 6 o'clock; 100 yards handicap for Jermyn Cup at 6.30 o'clock.

DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

A quarterly meeting of the Dublin County Council was held yesterday—Mr. P. J. O'Neill, J.P., Chairman, presiding. Other members present were:—

Alfred B. Coyle, J.P.; James Doyle, Michael Dunne, J.P.; Samuel C. Giltrap, J.P.; Archdale Graham, J.P.; Michael L. Hearn, James Mahony (Vice-Chairman), Benjamin Newcombe, Joseph O'Neill, J.P.

A letter was read from the North Dublin Union asking the Council to continue for another month the special outdoor relief under Section 13 of the Local Government Act.

The Chairman said that the order was adopted originally under exceptional circumstances which had now altered, and the matter, he thought, should be postponed.

This suggestion was adopted.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Registrar University College, Dublin, wrote recommending the following candidates for County Council scholarships, who presented themselves at the special examination:—Alice J. Martin (four honours), Joseph P. Lynam (three honours), G. E. Breen (three honours), Gerald Doyle (three honours), and Maria E. Brayden (three honours).

The communication was marked satisfactory.

DUBLIN POSTAL SERVANTS' WAGES.

Yesterday's Parliamentary Papers show that Mr. Nugent asked the Postmaster-General whether, with reference to the demand of the Post Office employés for an advance in wages to meet the extra cost of living entailed by the war, he will state whether there is any difference as between London and Dublin in the wages paid to the various grades of Post Office employés; if so, what these differences are; whether he will also state if there are a number of senior positions in the Dublin Post Office vacant; if similar places in Great Britain have been filled up as a matter of course; and what is the reason why the Dublin vacancies have not been filled up; what action, if any, he proposes to take in this matter; and whether, in view of the grievances of which the Dublin Post Office employés already complain, he will consider the advisability of receiving a deputation from their accredited representatives.

Mr. Pease replied—The level of wages paid to Post Office employés generally in the provinces, including Dublin, is lower than in London. For details of particular classes I would refer the hon. member to the estimates in which the different scales are published. In answer to the hon. member's question of the 7th March last, I furnished particulars of the vacancies in supervising grades at Dublin and certain other large towns, and the number which had been filled. Since then I have authorised promotion at Dublin and elsewhere. At the present time it is necessary to consider, as each vacancy arises, whether the state of the work requires it to be filled, and Dublin is not being treated exceptionally in this respect. I do not think that any good purpose would be served by my receiving a deputation from the Dublin staff.

CHURCH CARETAKERS' HOUSE.

DECREE FOR POSSESSION.

Rev. Edward G. Burland (Incumbent) and Thomas Featherstone and Andrew Forrest (Churchwardens), of St. Thomas' and Trinity Church, Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, applied to Mr Drury in the Southern Police Court yesterday for possession of the house, 50 Lower Gardiner street, now occupied by Thomas and Emma Dergan, whose employment as sexton and sextoness of Trinity Church had been terminated.

Mr. R. S. Chadwick (instructed by Messrs. Harris and Green) appeared for the applicants; and Mr. Phillip White (instructed by Messrs. Scallan and Co.) for the defendants.

Rev. E. G. Burland gave evidence that the two churches were amalgamated in 1904. He produced the minutes of the Select Vestry meeting of 5th June, 1893, recording the appointment of defendants as caretakers of Trinity Church. He had been anxious to get possession of the house for the use of the Mission to Seamen, whose premises had been burned. The defendants refused to give possession. Witness produced a copy of the letter determining their employment and tenancy of the house.

Cross-examined by Mr. White, the witness admitted that the management of the temporal affairs of the parish was vested in the Select Vestry.

Mr. Featherstone, Rector's Warden, gave evidence that he went to defendants' house on July 15th to take possession. Mr. Dergan gave up the keys of the church, but not those of the house, remarking: "My children were all born and reared here, and I will not give up this house."

Mr. White—How long was he there?

Mr. Drury—It has nothing to say to the case if it were a thousand years.

Mr. White said he thought himself entitled to a dismissal of the summons on the ground that only the Select Vestry, who put the defendants into possession, could recover it.

Mr. Drury held that the demand of the Rector and Churchwardens was quite sufficient. The man's family might have been there for generations, but his right to the house did not last longer than a week at any time.

Mr. White said he would prove that a considerable sum of money was due to his clients, and he contended that the church authorities had no authority to evict him till they had paid it.

Mr. Drury—They have absolute power. That is a question for a separate action.

Mr. White—I am trying to say that a man should not be removed from his position until he is settled with. If you are on one side to break the contract——

Mr. Drury—You know as well as I do you have no defence in this case. I am not going into whether this man has a ground of action. I grant a decree for possession in seven days.

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NAVAL AND MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT IN IRELAND.)

An Army Order has been published in regard to the leakage of military information concerning operations of the Army in the Field, in which it is pointed out that each officer or man who privately transmits information, even to those on whose discretion he may have the most complete reliance, inevitably facilitates the task of the enemy's agents, and indirectly sacrifices the lives of his comrades. A copy of this Army Order is being issued to all officers serving in the Army, with instructions to bring it continually to the notice of those serving under them, in order that all ranks may co-operate to ensure that the progress of the Army is not imperilled, or rendered more costly, by the criminal folly of a few individuals.

The War Office has notified that, in the case of appointments filled by alternative ranks, such as the command of a *dépôt* unit of supply, which may be held by either a captain or subaltern, it is immaterial which rank of officer is actually in that position. A captain may, therefore, be appointed to a position for which the alternative ranks of captain or subaltern are laid down, and a subaltern who happens to hold such a position, when promoted to the rank of Captain in the ordinary course, may continue to hold the appointment. A subaltern cannot, however, be regarded as having a claim to special promotion by virtue of holding the position.

The standard of height for recruits for the Army Cyclists Corps has been altered, the *minimum* height for the present being fixed at five feet four inches.

The Reverend H. B. de Montmorency, Chaplain to the Forces, now serving at the Curragh, has been selected for duty at Richmond Barracks, Dublin, in succession to the Reverend J. A. Pearson.

The Reverend T. R. F. Jeffreys has been appointed for temporary duty as Church of England Acting Chaplain to the Forces at the Command *Dépôt*, Ballyvonare.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, JULY 27, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

Royal Irish Regiment—R. E. T. Hewitt, late Second Lieutenant York Regiment, to be temporary Second Lieutenant.

Connaught Rangers—Supernumerary Captain N. K. Stewart is restored to the establishment.

Royal Munster Fusiliers—Temporary Second Lieutenant R. L. Fraser relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health.

MILITARY OPTICIANS.—Dixon and Hempenstall, 12 Suffolk st., Dublin.—(Advt.)

BELFAST AND DISTRICT.

BELFAST OFFICE, 108 ROYAL AVENUE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

THURSDAY NIGHT.

An Inspiring Call.—Acknowledging the resolution of sympathy passed by the Belfast Water Board on the loss in action of his two sons, Mr. James Hollywood, ex-chairman of the Board, says he and his wife "have consolation in the knowledge that their sons had died like men in nobly doing their duty to their God and country, and in defence of the principles of right and liberty. We hope that their noble example, and that of the other brave men of the Ulster Division of all ranks who took part in the glorious and memorable achievement on the 1st July, will inspire the young men who have not yet risen to a sense of their duty to their country and to their kindred fighting in France to join the Army and carry on the work of the heroes who have fallen."

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADELAIDE, Thurs.—Malwa, Sydney for London, ar.
CALCUTTA, Wed.—Morveda, for London, left.
GIBRALTAR, Thurs.—Mongara, from Bombay, passed.
GRAVESEND, Thurs.—Highland Piper, for Buenos Ayres, left.
IQUIQUE, Mon.—Denis arrived.
KARACHI, Sat.—Karoa, for Bombay, left.
MARANHAM, Mon.—Michael arrived.
PORT SAID, Wed.—Manoea, London for Calcutta, ar.
PENANG, Tues.—Nore, for Yokohama, left.
PORT PIRIE, July 23—Otaru Maru, for Japan, left.
SEWAL'S POINT, Mon.—Hubert, from Barbados, ar.
SUEZ, Wed.—Circassia, Bombay for Liverpool, arrived.
SHANGHAI, Tues.—Kamakura Maru arrived.
TABLE BAY, Fri.—Morah, for Brisbane, left.
TABLE BAY, Sun.—Kitano Maru, from London, arrived, and left for Yokohama.

YESTERDAY'S SHIPPING REPORT.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. South Stack, ss. Slieve Bawn, ss. Rathmore, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dunure, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Olive, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Arklow, from Belfast, with goods; ss. Lady Wimborne, from London, with goods; ss. Echo, from Bristol, with goods; ss. Hare, from Manchester, with goods; ss. W. M. Barkley, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. Cameo, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Eider, ss. Ophir, from Partington, with coals; ss. Cliffmore, from Ardrossan, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. South Stack, ss. Slieve Bloom, ss. Rathmore, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dunure, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Olive, ss. Hound, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Arklow, for Waterford, with goods; ss. Blackrock, ss. Carlow, from Liverpool, with goods; ss. Wicklow, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Yarrow, for Silloth, with goods; ss. Hare, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Lady Cloe, for London, with goods; ss. Velenheli, ss. May, for Liverpool, light; ss. Madie, for Belfast, light; ss. Zillah, for Llandulas, light; ss. Fulwood, for Preston, light; ss. Clarrie, for Garston, with timber; ss. Acme, for Garston, light; ss. Mayflower, for Penmaenmawr, light; Ellie Park, for Glasgow, with scrap.

A party of representatives of Dominion Parliaments, with representatives of home authorities, passed through Thurso on Wednesday morning, and returned in the evening, when they were entertained by the Town Council. Sir James Carroll, New Zealand, said they had been impressed by the grim determination everywhere evident of the resolve to carry through the war to a victorious issue.

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DISABLED SOLDIERS INVITED TO DENMARK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

COPENHAGEN, THURSDAY.

The journal *Politiken* says the plan to invite many thousands of disabled soldiers from all belligerent countries to Denmark for the purpose of nursing them back to health and supplying them with clothing and good homes during the war is nearing realisation. The sum of £13,533 has already been privately subscribed, and a further £111,111 has been promised by banks and large trading concerns. In the near future a general appeal for funds will be issued to the people of Denmark and the Danish dependencies by Prince Waldemar, youngest brother of Queen Alexandra. The original intentions of placing invalid soldiers with private families all over Denmark has been abandoned. Instead they will be quartered at the great military camps of Hoevite and Vaerloese. The entire scheme is under the direct control and guarantee of the Danish Government.

SALE OF THE MUNKITTRICK ESTATE, ARDEE.

At the Courthouse, Ardee, County Louth, on Wednesday, Messrs. Battersby and Co. offered for sale the Munkittrick estate, consisting of steam and other mills, business premises, private houses, ground rents, and profit rents in the town of Ardee. All the property was disposed of at good prices. In practically every case the tenant in occupation became the purchaser. Messrs. Blackford, Norton, and Smith (London), and Messrs. W. G. Bradley and Son (Dublin) acted for the vendors, whilst the tenants' interests were looked after by Messrs. J. M. Reilly and McKeever and Mr. Dickie, solicitors.

A Wellington telegram states that Mr. Massey, Premier, says that New Zealand has not received any communication regarding the Dominion being represented on the Commission of Inquiry into the Dardanelles campaign.

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The Managing Committee met on Tuesday, 25th inst., E. A. Trouton, Esq., presiding. Also present—W. P. Cairnes, Esq.; H. S. Law, Esq., M.D.; A. D. Price, Esq.; A. C. Pim, Esq.; H. Bewley, Esq., M.D.; W. F. Bewley, Esq.; G. A. Newsom, Esq.; Col. Chas. Pepper, Sir W. J. Smyly, M.D.

The usual routine business was transacted and the books were signed. Cheques amounting to £1,318 0s. 10d., were drawn in payment of accounts. The number of patients remaining in hospital on July 22nd was 67, including 11 soldiers, and in the Convalescent Home, 7.

The Committee gratefully acknowledge the following subscriptions, etc.:—

W. H. Adams, I.S.C., £1 1/-; Anonymous, £6; The Dowager Viscountess Bangor, £1 1/-; J. Barber, £3; R. J. Barton, £1; O. P. Beater, LL.B., £1; Mrs. Grove Benson, £2; Miss Bird, £1 1/-; Lieut. Champ, R.D.F., 10/-; Mrs. Christie, £2; Church of Ireland Training College, £3 3/-; Sir Algernon Coote, Bart., £10; Col. the Hon. C. F. Crichton, £5; Major Daniel Dixon, £10; Sir Maurice Dockrell, £5; Messrs. Dockrell, Sons, and Co., £2; the Irish Drapers' Assistants' Benefit and Protective Association, £2 2/-; T. D. Draper, M.D., £2 2/-; A. R. B. Falkiner, £1; Miss M. E. Fisher, 16/-; A Friend, £1 1/-; Grateful Friend of a Patient, £1; Denis Goodbody, £1 1/-; Sir W. J. Goulding, Bart., £1 1/-; Rev. R. K. Hanna, B.A., £1; Major and Mrs. Hardy, £5; The Right Hon. the Lord Viscount Iveagh, K.P., £50; G. N. Jacob, J.P., £2; W. and R. Jacob and Co., Ltd., £25; Mrs. James, £300; Mrs. H. R. Jameson, £5; John Jameson and Son, £5; Miss Kift, £2; Horace Law, M.D., £5; G. Lewis, £2; Rev. M. Lloyd, £1; Loyal Orange Institution, £1; W. H. McKeown, £1; D. W. Miller, £1 1/-; Mrs. J. K. Millner, £2; F. C. H. Moore, £1 1/-; Mrs. Mrs. E. Newsom, £24 14/2; L. J. Nugent, £3 10/-; Basil Orpin, £5; Messrs. Pim Bros., £5; A. J. Pemberton, £5; Messrs. Pim Bros., £5; R. H. Prior-Wandesforde, £2; Miss Revington, £2; Mrs. S. H. Smith, £1; A Sympathiser, £3; E. Webster, £2; Gerald Grove White, £1 1/-; Wilkinson, £2 15/-.

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SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

R. Moss, the County Limerick trainer, won three of the six races at Limerick meeting yesterday.

Mr. B. O'Donnell, of Tipperary, brought off a double event at Limerick with Brown Label and Yoke.

After Alice Rockthorn won the Munster Plate at Limerick yesterday, odds of 20 to 1 were offered and accepted about her chance for the Galway Plate.

Alice Rockthorn and Carriganeeny each put up 4lb. penalties in the Galway Plate on account of winning at Limerick.

S. Avila, who rode Carriganeeny to victory at Limerick yesterday, has joined the Army, but hopes to be able to ride Mr. Kirwan's horse in the Galway Plate.

Five races at Limerick yesterday were won by Southern-trained horses, the only Curragh-trained horse to score being Alice Rockthorn.

Poole's team at Baldoyle has been augmented by the arrival from England of Mountmills, Paul Lamerie, and Tate's Map.

His Majesty has supported the programme for the Newmarket September Meeting by nominating horses for eight of the races, the champion sprinter, Friar Marcus, being engaged twice; also Sir Dighton. His other nominations are Lucknow, Llewellyn, La Coquille, and Sammarco.

The Earl of Derby has challenged for the Whip with Hasta (4 years). In the event of a contest resulting, it will take place at the Second October Meeting.

The Epsom Derby for 1918 closed with 287 entries, including nine made in Paris and six in New York. His Majesty has taken five nominations—for colts by Bayardo, Sunstar, Marcovil, Santry, and Picton.

His Majesty has also taken five subscriptions to the Oaks of the same year, which closed with 205 entries, seven being French and one American. In this race His Majesty's fillies are by Sunstar (2), Spearmint, Marcovil, and Roi Herode.

CRICKET.

MILITARY OF IRELAND v. MR. R. H. LAMBERT'S XI.

To-day the match between the Military of Ireland and Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI., in aid of the Sailors' and Soldiers' Club, North Wall, will commence in the College Park, and granted a continuance of the fine weather, the match, which is under the patronage of General Sir John Maxwell and the Provost of Trinity College, is certain to attract a large and fashionable attendance. The Military XI., which was organised by Lieutenant J. W. F. Crawford, the old Phœnix cricketer, is very strong in batting and bowling, while Mr. Lambert was also successful in getting together a very useful all-round side.

Apart from the sporting character of the event, the match should possess strong attractions from the social standpoint. The promoters have arranged for the band of the Royal Irish Regiment to be in attendance to-day, and to-morrow the music will be provided by the band of the 6th Reserve Cavalry Regiment, while luncheons and teas will be served in the Engineering School, which has been converted for the occasion into a refreshment room. A large number of wounded soldiers have been invited, and soldiers in uniform and schoolboys will be admitted at half-price. Originally it was intended to commence each day at 3 o'clock, but it was subsequently decided to start half an hour earlier. Ample arrangements have been made in the way of seating accommodation, and to meet the requirements of the large number of ticket holders, the Irish Rugby Football Union have placed at the disposal of the organisers a number of seats from the Lansdowne road enclosure. Play will commence to-day, as stated, at 2.30, and visitors to the College Park, which is at present looking its best, in addition to assisting a most deserving object, may confidently rely on witnessing two good days' cricket. The revised teams are as follows:—

Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI.—P. F. Quinlan (Dublin University), G. W. F. Kelly, R. W. Nicholls (Phœnix), R. H. Lambert, W. Harrington, S. C. Smith, D. A. H. Milling (Leinster); R. M. Power, P. M. Rath (Pembroke), R. J. Ogden (Leinster), L. Bookman (R. and S.P.U.).

Military of Ireland—Major R. B. Rickman (6th Sherwood Foresters), Major E. W. Price (6th Res. Cavalry Regt.), Capt. F. J. Scott-Murray (10th R.D.F.), Captain W. P. Hinton (3rd R.I. Regt.), Lieut. J. W. F. Crawford (O.T.C.), Lieut. Cox (R.D.F.), Lieut. J. Shields (4th North Leicester Howitzer Brigade), Captain L. Weigall (Lincoln Regt.), Sergeant Preece (10th R.D.F.), Corporal W. E. Astill (4th Leicester Regt.), and Corporal W. Brown (4th Leicester Regt.).

10th ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS' CLUB. FIXTURES CANCELLED.

Hon. secretaries of clubs having fixtures with the 10th R.D. Fusiliers are requested by Lieut. Cox, the hon. secretary of the club, to cancel them, as the Fusiliers are unable to keep the engagements made. Second Lieutenant Gorry, 11th Royal Dublin Fusiliers, hopes to carry out the fixtures arranged for the 10th Battalion if the change is acceptable.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURE.

Military of Ireland v. Mr. R. H. Lambert's XI. (first day). College Park, 2.30.

GOLF.

GYMKHANA AT CLONTARF.

A novel attraction will be provided in connection with to-morrow's gymkhana at the Clontarf Club in the shape of a match between Miss Georgie Lauder, of Sutton, and J. Martin, the Milltown professional. Miss Lauder, whose handicap is plus 1, is one of the finest iron players among our Irish lady golfers, and as the Clontarf green, except at a couple of holes, will not materially handicap her in the matter of long driving, she should, with her handicap, give a good account of herself. The match will be played at 11.30, and the afternoon will be devoted to open mixed foursomes, driving, putting, approaching and putting, and other competitions. The proceeds will be devoted to the Red Cross Society and the St John Ambulance Corps.

CASTLE CLUB.—An entertainment will be given to a number of wounded soldiers next Sunday at 2.30 p.m. The committee trust that as many members and associates as possible will attend.

PORTSTEWART CLUB.—Ladies' Challenge Cup—Third Round: Miss J. C. Alexander (20) beat Miss B. Chance (24), 2 and 2; Miss M. C. Hay (12) beat Miss Chance (20), after a tie; Miss N. C. Alexander (10) beat Miss M. Gardner (13), after a tie; Miss Jauncey (18) beat Miss Marshall (24), 4 and 3. Semi-Final: Miss J. C. Alexander beat Miss M. C. Hay, 3 and 1; Miss M. C. Alexander beat Miss Jauncey, after a tie. Final (18 holes): Miss M. C. Alexander beat Miss J. C. Alexander, 1 up. A match was played between R. F. Carter (Royal Portrush), and the Portrush professional, Hugh McNeill, and the local pro., W. M. Martin (Royal Portrush), went round in 70, Coltart, in which McNeill and Coltart in 70, equalling the record for the course, and Coltart the professionals beat the amateurs by 3 up. 75. The professionals beat the amateurs by 3 up.

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SPORTING NEWS.

LIMERICK MEETING. YESTERDAY.

The racing at Limerick yesterday, while not quite up to the usual standard at this venue, provided a good afternoon's sport, and, with the weather of a thoroughly seasonable kind, visitors had a very pleasant outing, which was made all the more enjoyable by reason of the fact that most of the races were won by favourites. R. Moss, the ex-jockey, who now has a string of horses under his care at Patrick's Well, Limerick, had a very successful day, three of the six races falling to horses trained at his establishment. He led off well, when First o' May won the July Plate in easy style from his stable companion, Rathleague, and two others. Brown Label, who, taking advantage of a very quick beginning, cantered in front of eight others all through the race for the Shannon Plate, was the second winner from the stable, and Carriganeeny, by winning the Maiden Steeplechase, completed the treble event. The most interesting race of the day was the Munster Plate, in which Alice Rockthorn and Lautus, two fancied candidates for the Galway Plate, were afforded an opportunity of a public gallop. Lautus ran very well for two and a half miles, at which stage he looked like winning, but, after making a mistake at the second last fence, he never seemed to recover properly again. Lady Sue was at this stage in front, but as they went up the hill on the far side Alice Rockthorn quickly drew up to her, and, forging ahead soon afterwards, came away to win in easy style. Alice Rockthorn now puts up a 4lb. penalty for the Galway Plate, but, in view of the manner in which she outstayed the others in yesterday's race, which was over three miles, she must hold a big chance over the stiff two and a half miles in the Western race. Dunaille had an easy journey in the Thomond Plate, and this was his third successive win. In the last race Yoke had a similarly easy win, and the victory completed a double event for Mr. B. O'Donnell, who has not had the best of luck of late. Details:—

2.0—JULY PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Two miles.
Mr. Jos. Widger's br. g. FIRST O' MAY, 5, 10-8 ... E. Houlihan 1
Egerton—Merry May, 6, 10-8 ... C. Hawkins 2
Mr. S. Gwyer's RATHLEAGUE, 5, 11-11 ... (car. 9-8)
Mr. W. Harty's MULLACASH, 5, 9-7 ... H. Harty 3

Also ran:—Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Mona Righ, 6, 10-0 (J. Burns) (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. FIRST O' MAY, 5 to 2 Rathleague, 3 to 1 Mullacash, 4 to 1 Mona Righ.

First o' May cut out the work from Rathleague, Mullacash, and Mona Righ, and, making all the running, won easily by three lengths; forty lengths separated second and third.

2.30—SHANNON PLATE of 100 sovs.; second received 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. Six furlongs and about 100 yards.
Mr. B. O'Donnell's br. m. BROWN LABEL, by Cunctator—Viel Verloren, 5, 8-9 ... M. Beary 1
Mr. Jos. Widger's SINGLE STICK, 3, 10-5 ... Joe Canty 2
Mr. J. P. Hogan's ARCHIAS, 4, 8-2 ... S. Regan 3

Also ran:—Mr. W. Power's Ethel H., 5, 7-11; Mr. E. Talbot's Naughty Earl, 5, 10-5 (A. Barrett); Mr. W. Walls' Eager Princess, 4, (F. Hunter); Mr. J. Dwyer's Yorkshire Lad, 4, 8-9 9-7 (F. Burns); Major Edwards' St. Gerard, 4, 9-0 (P. Lynch); Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Erato, 5, 8-7 (H. Smith); (Joe Harty); (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)

Betting—2 to 1 agst. Ethel H., 3 to 1 Single Stick, 5 to 1 each BROWN LABEL and Eager Princess, 8 to 1 Naughty Earl, 10 to 1 Archias, 20 to 1 any other.

St. Gerard was left, and Erato fell after a furlong. Brown Label jumped off in front of Archias, Eager Princess, Ethel H., and Singlestick, and, coming right away, won in a canter by eight lengths; two lengths separated second and third. Naughty Earl was fourth, Ethel H. fifth, and Eager Princess next.

The winner was bought in for 52 sovs.

3.10—MUNSTER PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. Three miles.
Mr. Anthony's br. m. ALICE ROCKTHORN, by The Gull—Alice Blackthorn, a, 10-12 ... Mr. P. Nugent 1
Mr. J. P. Hogan's LADY SUE, a, 10-9 ... A. Hogan 2
Major Dixon's DUNDESERT, a, 9-10 ... H. Harty 3

Also ran:—Mr. W. Murphy's Our Park, 6, 9-7 (J. McCormack); Mr. J. Quaid's Uncle Charlie, 6, 10-9 9-2 (E. Davy); Mr. P. Sheehan's Lautus, 6, 10-9 (P. Sheehan). (Winner trained by Owner at the Curragh.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. Lautus, 3 to 1 ALICE ROCKTHORN, 4 to 1 Lady Sue, 8 to 1 Dundesert, 20 to 1 any other.

Lady Sue made play from Our Park, Dundesert, Alice Rockthorn, and Uncle Charlie, with Lautus in the rear for two miles. Lautus then went on second, but, making a bad mistake at the second last fence, he dropped back, and Alice Rockthorn, challenging Lady Sue, quickly got the better of her, and won easily by six lengths; a head separated second and third. Our Park was fourth and Lautus next. Uncle Charlie did not complete the course.

3.45—THOMOND PLATE of 100 sovs.; second received 10 sovs., and third 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. One mile two furlongs and about 100 yards.
Mr. J. B. O'Connor's br. h. DUNAILLE, by Sir Edgar—Lady Harlstown, 6, 10-7 ... T. Burns 1
Mr. Hederman's FANATIC, 5, 8-9 ... C. Aylin 2
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's ZEFUS, 3, 10-2 ... W. Parkinson 3

Also ran:—Mr. G. Kennedy's Rickety Kate, 4, 9-2 (J. A. Finn); Mr. J. Murphy's Symont, 5, 8-12 (P. Lynch); Mr. Anthony's Palmiesa, 3, 8-9 (W. Williams)). (Winner trained by Mr. J. Dwyer at Cashel.)

Betting—2 to 1 each agst. DUNAILLE and Zefus, 4 to 1 Rickety Kate, 8 to 1 each Symont and Fanatic, 100 to 6 Palmiesa.

Fanatic made play from Dunaille, Zefus, Palmiess, and Symont, and they ran practically in this order until a couple of furlongs from home, when Dunaille took command, and won easily by two lengths; four lengths separated second and third. Palmiesa was fourth, Symont fifth, and Rickety Kate next.

4.15—MAIDEN STEEPLECHASE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. Weight for age. Two miles and a half.
Mr. H. Kirwan's ch. g. CARRIGANEENY, by Cannock Chase II.—Rose Amber, 5, 11-5 ... S. Avila 1
Mr. E. J. Hope's LITTLE SLAVEY, 5, 11-5 ... Mr. L. Brabazon 2
Lord Decies' NUPTIAL FLIGHT, 5, 11-5 ... T. Kelly 3

Also ran:—Capt. J. O'G. Delmege's Sweet Vigilans, 5, 11-0 (H. Smith); Mr. J. O'Dwyer's Lady Sterling, 5, 11-5 (W. Gadsen); Mr. M. Kelly's Paddy H., 4, 10-5 (P. Hennebry). (Winner trained by R. Moss at Patrick's Well, Co. Limerick.)

Betting—5 to 4 on CARRIGANEENY, 3 to 1 Nuptial Flight, 5 to 1 Little Slavey, 20 to 1 any other.

Carriganeeny settled down in front of Little Slavey, Lady Sterling, Nuptial Flight, and Sweet Vigilans, and, making all the running, won in a canter by twelve lengths; ten lengths separated second and third.

4.45—HOLIDAY PLATE of 50 sovs.; second received 5 sovs. A handicap flat race. Two miles.
Mr. B. O'Donnell's ch. f. YOKE, by Captivation—Golden Egg, 4, 10-5 ... Mr. P. J. Beary 1
Mrs. N. Sikes' KATE'S BROTHER, 4, 10-0 ... Mr. N. Sikes 2
Mr. Manning's ISLAND LAD, 5, 10-0 ... Mr. B. Kirby 3

Also ran:—Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Miss Slasher, 3, 11-1 (Mr. W. Parkinson); Knight of Glin's Ballyhena, 4, 10-7 (Mr. M. Kirby); Mr. P. O'Brien's Sir Arthur, a, 10-3 (Mr. J. Murphy); Mrs. Manley's O'Leary, V.C., 4, 10-3 (Mr. J. Manley). (Winner trained Privately.)

Betting—5 to 4 agst. YOKE, 2 to 1 Miss Slasher, 5 to 1 Ballyhena, 6 to 1 Island Lad, 20 to 1 any other.

Yoke showed the way to Kate's Brother, Glenpatrick, Island Lad, Sir Arthur, and Miss Slasher, with O'Leary, V.C., last, and continuing in front throughout, won in a canter by four lengths; the same separated second and third. Miss Slasher was fourth and O'Leary, V.C., next.

NEWMARKET SELECTIONS FOR WINDSOR.

College Plate—GOLD ROSE.
Village Welter—MELKARTH.
Royal Borough Handicap—CLEMATIS.
Bridge Plate—FERRYCARRIG FILLY.
Forest Handicap—WORMLEIGHTON.
Clewer Plate—VALHALLA II.

LINGFIELD MEETING CURTAILED.

Yesterday's issue of the *Racing Calendar* states that "The Stewards of the Jockey Club, in view of the fact that Friday, August 4th next, is to be generally observed by Churches of all denominations throughout the country as a day for the holding of a Special Service, invited the Stewards of Lingfield to discuss with them the desirability of holding the races arranged for that day. The Stewards of Lingfield, having considered the question, decided to abandon the programme arranged for August 4th, with the exception of the Lingfield Park Stakes, which is postponed to the following day."

(ADVERTISEMENT.)
DIAMOND SPECIAL.—No change. *206. *109.

ROYAL WINDSOR MEETING—THIS DAY.

PROGRAMME.

1.30—THE COLLEGE T.Y.O. PLATE of £150. Five furlongs.

	st. lb.		st. lb.
Tenacity	8 9	C. by Willonyx—Pampas Grass	8 7
Gold Rose	8 9	C. by Bachelor's Double—Nydian	8 7
C. by Thrush—Clarilaw	8 7	Contention	8 4
All Silk	8 7	Miss Mary K.	8 4
C. by Mauvezin—Cambric	8 7	Flavia	8 4
C. by Picton—Melinda	8 7	Iras	8 4
Dark Legend	8 7	Queen Kitty	8 4
Faringdon	8 7	Fanusha	8 4
Cadi	8 7	F. by Desmond—Welbury	8 4
Rosonyx	8 7	F. by Lycaon—Ardrogena	8 4
Bagarra	8 7	Peg o' My Heart	8 4
Mataro	8 7	Hornet's Double	8 4
Irish Emigrant	8 7	C. by Marcovil—Scrin	8 4
Pot Herb	8 7	F. by Lochryan—Whim	8 4
Cherokee	8 7	Kilcolla	8 4
Greenroom	8 7	Desla	8 4
Quarryman	8 7	Second Sight	8 4
Andreas	8 7	F. by St. Angelo—Aunt Maud	8 4
Prince Frusquin	8 7		
Gambado	8 7		
The Speaker	8 7		
C. by Symington—Kilkenny Lass	8 7		

2.0—THE VILLAGE WELTER HANDICAP of £103. Winner to be sold for £50. Six furlongs.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Neville Holt	6	9	7	Bluerock	3	7	9
Bonaldo	5	9	2	Picaflor	4	7	9
Velociter	5	9	0	Royal Bucks	3	7	7
Francois	5	8	11	Transvaal	3	7	7
Oversight	5	8	9	Flashendell	5	7	6
Pip Pip Pip	4	8	8	South Parade	4	7	6
Ravello	4	8	7	Fissuro	4	7	6
Castleton	4	8	6	I.M.D.	4	7	6
Verst	3	8	5	Fly Car	4	7	6
Iron Duke	4	8	3	No Ball	3	7	4
Michigan	4	8	3	Happy Days	5	7	3
Mofat	4	8	2	Prince Rupert	3	7	3
Melkarth	4	8	2	Bank Holiday	5	7	3
Jumps	3	8	2	Comitius	6	7	2
Black Devil	3	8	2	Ballast Mor.	6	7	2
Bon Voyage	4	8	0	Sennowe	3	7	0
Leisure	4	8	0	Criado	3	7	0
Blueground	3	7	13	Sailor Joe	3	7	0
Montmartre	4	7	13	Santicola	3	7	0
Farimore	3	7	11	Blisworth	3	7	0
Artist Square	4	7	10	Billeter	3	7	0
Melton Flier	5	7	10	Flotation	5	7	0
Fakir III.	5	7	10	Nickel	5	7	0

2.45—THE ROYAL BOROUGH THREE-YEAR-OLD HANDICAP of £500. Second £50. One mile.

	st. lb.		st. lb.
Ferox	9 0	Clematis	7 7
Blackadder	8 7	Escomb	7 7
Jack Annandale	8 5	Clan Ronald	7 7
Dark Sapphire	8 4	Con Cregan	6 13
Gilbert the Filbert	8 3	Sweet Sorrow	6 13
Trim	7 11	Duncan	

3.15—THE BRIDGE TWO-YEAR-OLD SELLING PLATE of £103. Colts, 8st. 12lb.; fillies and geldings, 8st. 9lb. Winner to be sold for £50. Five furlongs.

	st. lb.		st. lb.
C. by Salomon—Castle Hampton	8 12	G. by Picton—Lady Syme	8 9
Buckden	8 12	Turbite	8 9
Whitehall	8 12	You Two	8 9
Turba Nova	8 12	G. by Dumbarton Castle—Malvis	8 9
Henry Clay	8 12	F. by Bachelor's Double—Ferry-carrig	8 9
Glenalvon	8 12	Lucrece	8 9
Queen's Lancer	8 12	Golly Eyes	8 9
C. by Minoru—Miss Archer	8 12	F. by Vamose—La Sotte	8 9
Mini Rifle	8 12	Littlemore	8 9
Morris Dancer	8 12	Toussainte	8 9
Contention	8 9	Hongroise	8 9
Resource	8 9	Lady Randy	8 9
Onyx	8 9	F. by Willonyx—Monte Fiore	8 9
F. by Primer—Water Nymph	8 9	F. by Challacombe—Flight of Ages	8 9
F. by Flotsam—Glencairn Maid	8 9	Ashow	8 9
Koum Kaleh	8 9	F. by Bridge of Allan—Farce II.	8 9
F. by Dinneford—Valkyr	8 9	Golden Cup	8 9
Chips	8 9		
Minway	8 9		
Pitch and Toss	8 9		

3.50—THE FOREST HANDICAP of £150, added to a sweepstakes of £5 each for starters. Five furlongs.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Hornet's Beauty	6	9	7	Amanthe	3	7	5
Wormleighton	4	8	13	Joy Wheel	3	7	5
Masbool	4	8	12	Bramble Twig	3	7	5
Eager Eyes	4	8	8	Erin's Pride	3	7	4
Colour System	5	8	6	Black Walnut	3	7	4
Prospero	6	8	6	Glass Rock	3	7	3
Foolish Fancy	4	8	4	General Wade	3	7	3
Highwayside	3	8	3	Giant Stride	3	7	3
Polygram	4	8	2	Iron Duke	4	7	2
Amphitryon	4	7	13	Kilcaria	3	7	0
Sunni	4	7	12	Pelopia	3	7	0
Duggie	4	7	12	King's Zenith	3	7	0
Tingvalla	4	7	10	Young Man	3	6	11
MacChanter	4	7	10	Galla	3	6	10
Corisol	4	7	8	Little Mabel	3	6	8
Wynbury	6	7	8	Sudden Squall	3	6	8
Irish Brigade	3	7	7	Doxy	3	6	7
				Cobbler's Wax	3	6	7

4.20—THE CLEWER PLATE of £103. Weight for age. One mile and a half.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Desmond M.	4	9	0	Reigning Star	3	7	7
Valhalla II.	4	8	9	Despotic	3	7	7
Dukla	3	8	6	Evan	3	7	7
Giacomi	3	7	12	Arco	3	7	4
Louviers d'Or	3	7	12	Florimel	3	7	4
Wigmore	3	7	7	Minorotas	3	7	4

ARRIVALS.—Andreas, Arcot, Artist's Square, Auldana, Billiter, Blackadder, Black Walnut, Blisworth, Buckden, Cherokee, Cade, Clan Ronald, Clarilaw colt, Cobbler's Wax, Castleton, Desmond M., Duncan, Eager Eyes, Ferox, Florimel, Flotation, Fly Car, Gambado, Glass Rock, Gold Rose, Golly Eyes, Gurkha, Iron Duke, Irish Brigade, Jack Annandale, Joy Wheel, King's Zenith, Koum Kaleh, Llanthony, MacChanter, Murrays, Melkarth, Menlo, Melton Flier, Michigan, Memory, Morris Dancer, Mofat, Miss Mary K., Nickel, Pampas Grass colt, Pitch and Toss, Queen's Lancer, Lady Syme gelding, Rubber King, Regal, Seigle, Superior, Sweet Sorrow, Turba Nova, Trim, Torloisk, Toadstone, Volta, Whim filly, Wigmore, and Wynbury.

SCRATCHINGS.

All engagements in Lady James Douglas' name—Harleston.

Forest Handicap—Bird's Nest. Apprentices' Plate—Ganador and Tubantia. Clewer Plate—Bewlay, Tubantia, and The Tenter. Bridge Two Years Selling—Dr. Sym and Income colt. Datchet Welter—St. Stephen's, Rays Handicap—Duntryleague. St. George's Handicap—Preference. Eton Stakes—Ecurie. All Windsor engagements—Eleanor M.

NEWBURY MEETING.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 12.

NEWBURY AUTUMN CUP (handicap) of 600 sovs. (a Cup value 50 sovs., or specie, at option of winner), and remainder in specie); Second receives 50 sovs. and the third 25 sovs. About two miles and a furlong.

WEIGHTS.

	Age.	st.	lb.		Age.	st.	lb.
Achtol	4	9	0	Nisus	4	7	1
Hasta	4	8	7	Waterbed	4	7	1
The Revenge	4	8	5	Sybarite	5	7	0
Troubadour	5	8	4	Capital	4	6	13
Redwood	5	8	2	Race Rock	4	6	12
The Ant	5	8	2	Search	4	6	11
St. Eloi	4	7	13	Dark Opal	4	6	9
Prawle Point	5	7	11	Double Ditch	4	6	7
Aboukir	5	7	11	Llanthony	4	6	4
Pollen	5	7	10	Brownll	4	6	4
Sealby	4	7	8	Regal	4	6	0
Dalmatian	4	7	6	Toadstone	4	6	0
Herode-Agrippa	4	7	5	Rubber King	6	6	0
Ajaccio	4	7	3	Giacomi	3	6	0

NEWMARKET THIRD EXTRA MEETING.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

THE ST. IVES HANDICAP of 800 sovs. Second receives 50 sovs., third 25 sovs. out of the plate. Rous Course (five furlongs).

ENTRIES.

	Age.		Age.
Friar Marcus	4	Cicerama	4
Hornet's Beauty	6	Bos	3
Cou-cou	6	Helvetia	3
Wynbury	6	Linen	3
Mount William	5	Foxton	3
Trinity Square	5	Bayard	3
Sunni	5	Verdun	3
Eleanor M.	5	Preference	3
Torloisk	5	Comedienne	3
Vanitie	4	Amphitryon	3
Eager Eyes	4	Rock Ahoy	3
Foolish Fancy	4	Polyphonic	3
Chaplain	4	Argos	3
Birdseye	4	Corisol	3
Tingvalla	4	Dusky Boy	3
Serapis	4	Silver Star	3
Barbed Wire	4		

BILLIARDS.

REECE v. HARRIS.—At Thurston's, Leicester square, London, yesterday afternoon, Harris, in receipt of 1,700 start in 10,000 up, had much the better of matters, reaching his points by scoring 449 for an average of 27, against 225 and average of 13. The leader mde 106, 177, and 91 (unfinished), and Reece 135 (full), 43, and 39. Interval scores:—Harris (in play), 4,121; Reece, 2,298. At snooker-pool, Harris (receiving 20 start) easily won the first two by 81 to 27 and 68 to 37, but Reece secured the third at 83 to 44.

CHANTICLEER'S NOTES.

(SPECIAL TELEGRAM.)

WINDSOR, THURSDAY NIGHT.

Beyond the Royal Borough Handicap, a race of 500 sovs., to be decided on a mile of the round course, the Windsor programme for to-morrow is not of much importance. However, capital entries were obtained for a majority of the races, and the sport is almost certain to be interesting. The going is likely to be somewhat firm. My selections are:—

College Plate—Gold Rose.
Village Welter—Royal Bucks or Michigan.
Royal Borough Handicap—Blackadder.
Bridge Plate—Queen's Lancer.
Forest Handicap—Irish Brigade or Highwayside.
Clewer Plate—Persse's selected.

Chanticleer.

DUBLIN COAL STRIKE.

NO SETTLEMENT YET.

Some confusion appears to have arisen in connection with the circumstances which have led to the present deadlock in the Dublin coal trade. Inquiries amongst coal merchants yesterday elicited the information that the origin of the differences was the persistent demands of the men, which created constant stoppages. These demands culminated in the middle of June, when the men demanded, without notice, an increase in the rate of wages from 8d. to 1s. per ton. The discharge of the cargoes of boats was stopped. The ss. St. Mungo, for instance, which was partly discharged when the men left her and refused to resume work, was lying for over a week doing nothing, and had to be sent away with a half cargo. These men, it is stated, were regularly earning over £4 per week at the old rate of wages. After a time the stocks of coal gave out, because no coal could be brought under these conditions, and the draymen and yardmen were put out of employment, although they were willing to work, comparatively few of them being in sympathy with the demands of the men. The Lord Mayor asked the members of the Coal Merchants' Association to see him on the subject. They pointed out that there was no justification for the demands, but in view of the inconveniences that would likely be caused to the public, and the serious loss involved by shutting down their yards, they agreed to offer one penny per ton advance in the rate of wages. This offer, in other words, meant an advance on the pre-war standard of 5½d. to 9d. In the opinion of the merchants, most of the men are willing to resume work, but they apparently have determined not to unload the ss. Enda, the property of the Dublin General Steamship Company (Michael Murphy, Ltd.). The Association has determined that until this steamer has been unloaded work generally shall not be resumed. The prolongation of the stoppage is apparently due to a few men, who exercise such influence over the others as to prevail on them not to undertake the discharge of this vessel.

As an instance of the wages that the men were earning, it may be mentioned that the ss. Dublin was recently discharged on the basis of the terms which the merchants have offered as a settlement—viz., 9d. per ton—and it worked out that each man for ten hours' work earned £1 3s. One of the principal points upon which the masters insist is that steamers should be discharged as they arrive, as has always been the case in Dublin and other ports. Steamers would thus be enabled to discharge here on the tide, and catch the tide on the other side of the Channel. If a steamer, for instance, arrives at 6 p.m., and does not sail on the following morning, she is held up here until the following tide—twenty-four hours—instead of the usual time of twelve hours for discharging. This would make a very considerable difference in the rate of freight ruling at the port. As regards the question of working during the hours in which martial law prevails, it is pointed out by the merchants that the military authorities have notified their willingness to make arrangements by which men working on the quays shall not be interfered with.

DUBLIN PORT AND DOCKS BOARD.

The weekly meeting of the Dublin Port and Docks Board was held yesterday, Mr. William Crowe, Chairman, presiding. Other members present were:—

Alderman James Moran, J.P. (Vice-Chairman); Sir James Murphy, Bart., D.L.; Thomas M. O'Beirne, T.C.; Alderman Alfred Byrne, M.P.; James Vaughan, T.C.; Richard K. Gamble, Laurence Martin, George Byrne, J.P.; James W. Hill, J.P.; David Barry, Walter Baird, John Hollwey, McCormick, J.P.; Walter Baird, John Hollwey, William Hewat, and Wm. J. Dollar, J.P.

DREDGING OF THE PORT.

The weekly return showed that 6,975 tons were dredged last week as compared with 24,000 tons during the corresponding week last year.

Alderman Byrne asked whether the reduction was for the betterment of the port. He thought it was another instance of the Board's false economy. Did the Board want to drive the trade of the port to Belfast?

Mr. Hewat said that the reduction was forced on them by the necessity for economy.

Alderman Moran thought that if the Board were going to make a glorified canal of the port they had better say so.

Upon the suggestion of Mr. Burgess it was decided to ask the Engineer for a report showing separately the amount of dredging in the river and the amount at the bar.

MUNITION WORK FOR EMPLOYES.

A letter was read from the Ministry of Munitions referring to the Board's letter asking whether employment could be found for some of the Board's employés at munition work in consequence of the Board having had to reduce their staff. Particulars were asked for showing the skill and qualifications of each man in order that inquiries might be made with a view to putting the men at munition work.

Alderman Byrne inquired why a delay of eight weeks occurred since the passing of the resolution asking the Ministry of Munitions to provide work for the men.

The Secretary stated that he carried out the order of the Board in the usual way.

RESIGNATION OF SIR JOHN GRIFFITH AND ENGINEER.

Mr. W. H. Litchfield wrote—"Owing to an accident I have been unable to attend the meetings of the Board for the past few weeks. I was sorry to see in last week's agenda notice of Sir John Griffith's resignation, and I trust he may be induced to withdraw it. It would, in my opinion, be a great pity if the experience and advice of Sir John were lost to the Board. As regards the Engineer, it seems to me that the consideration of his resignation might be put off for a few months in order that the economies sanctioned by the Board be given a fair trial. In the meantime I feel sure that the Board may count upon Mr. Griffith's loyal help. No doubt if the Board had an experienced general manager it would be better for all concerned."

Alderman Byrne asked whether the letter meant that all the economies which the Board had effected through the dismissal of workmen were going to result in the employment of a general manager.

The letter was marked "noted."

John Walker, who had been in the employment of the Board previous to his deportation to England after the rebellion, wrote asking whether he would get back his employment and also asking the Board's sanction for payment of his back pay.

It was decided to pay any money due to him, and to refer the question of his re-employment to the Engineer.

The Board subsequently went into Committee to consider the resignations tendered at the previous meeting by Sir John Griffith and Mr. Griffith, Engineer-in-Chief.

SWIMMING.

PEMBROKE CLUB.

Committee meeting this evening at 5.45; club photo, 6 o'clock; 100 yards handicap for Jermyn Cup at 6.30 o'clock.

DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

A quarterly meeting of the Dublin County Council was held yesterday—Mr. P. J. O'Neill, J.P., Chairman, presiding. Other members present were:—

Alfred B. Coyle, J.P.; James Doyle, Michael Dunne, J.P.; Samuel C. Giltrap, J.P.; Archdale Graham, J.P.; Michael L. Hearn, James Mahony (Vice-Chairman), Benjamin Newcombe, Joseph O'Neill, J.P.

A letter was read from the North Dublin Union asking the Council to continue for another month the special outdoor relief under Section 13 of the Local Government Act.

The Chairman said that the order was adopted originally under exceptional circumstances which had now altered, and the matter, he thought, should be postponed.

This suggestion was adopted.

UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Registrar, University College, Dublin, wrote recommending the following candidates for County Council scholarships, who presented themselves at the special examination:—Alice J. Martin (four honours), Joseph P. Lynam (three honours), G. E. Breen (three honours), Gerald Doyle (three honours), and Maria E. Brayden (three honours).

The communication was marked satisfactory.

DUBLIN POSTAL SERVANTS' WAGES.

Yesterday's Parliamentary Papers show that Mr. Nugent asked the Postmaster-General whether, with reference to the demand of the Post Office employés for an advance in wages to meet the extra cost of living entailed by the war, he will state whether there is any difference as between London and Dublin in the wages paid to the various grades of Post Office employés; if so, what these differences are; whether he will also state if there are a number of senior positions in the Dublin Post Office vacant; if similar places in Great Britain have been filled up as a matter of course; and what is the reason why the Dublin vacancies have not been filled up; what action, if any, he proposes to take in this matter; and whether, in view of the grievances of which the Dublin Post Office employés already complain, he will consider the advisability of receiving a deputation from their accredited representatives.

Mr. Pease replied—The level of wages paid to Post Office employés generally in the provinces, including Dublin, is lower than in London. For details of particular classes I would refer the hon. member to the estimates in which the different scales are published. In answer to the hon. member's question of the 7th March last, I furnished particulars of the vacancies in supervising grades at Dublin and certain other large towns, and the number which had been filled. Since then I have authorised promotion at Dublin and elsewhere. At the present time it is necessary to consider, as each vacancy arises, whether the state of the work requires it to be filled, and Dublin is not being treated exceptionally in this respect. I do not think that any good purpose would be served by my receiving a deputation from the Dublin staff.

CHURCH CARETAKERS' HOUSE.

DECREE FOR POSSESSION.

Rev. Edward G. Burland (Incumbent) and Thomas Featherstone and Andrew Forrest (Churchwardens) of St. Thomas' and Trinity Church, Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, applied to Mr. Drury in the Southern Police Court yesterday for possession of the house, 50 Lower Gardiner street, now occupied by Thomas and Emma Dergan, whose employment as sexton and sextoness of Trinity Church had been terminated.

Mr. R. S. Chadwick (instructed by Messrs. Harris and Green) appeared for the applicants; and Mr. Phillip White (instructed by Messrs. Scallan and Co.) for the defendants.

Rev. E. G. Burland gave evidence that the two churches were amalgamated in 1904. He produced the minutes of the Select Vestry meeting of 5th June, 1893, recording the appointment of defendants as caretakers of Trinity Church. He had been anxious to get possession of the house for the use of the Mission to Seamen, whose premises had been burned. The defendants refused to give possession. Witness produced a copy of the letter determining their employment and tenancy of the house.

Cross-examined by Mr. White, the witness admitted that the management of the temporal affairs of the parish was vested in the Select Vestry.

Mr. Featherstone, Rector's Warden, gave evidence that he went to defendants' house on July 15th to take possession. Mr. Dergan gave up the keys of the church, but not those of the house, remarking: "My children were all born and reared here, and I will not give up this house."

Mr. White—How long was he there?

Mr. Drury—It has nothing to say to the case if it were a thousand years.

Mr. White said he thought himself entitled to a dismissal of the summons on the ground that only the Select Vestry, who put the defendants into possession, could recover it.

Mr. Drury held that the demand of the Rector and Churchwardens was quite sufficient. The man's family might have been there for generations, but his right to the house did not last longer than a week at any time.

Mr. White said he would prove that a considerable sum of money was due to his clients, and he contended that the church authorities had no authority to evict him till they had paid it.

Mr. Drury—They have absolute power. That is a question for a separate action.

Mr. White—I am trying to say that a man should not be removed from his position until he is settled with. If you are on one side to break the contract—

Mr. Drury—You know as well as I do you have no defence in this case. I am not going into whether this man has a ground of action. I grant a decree for possession in seven days.

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NAVAL AND MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR MILITARY CORRESPONDENT IN IRELAND.)

An Army Order has been published in regard to the leakage of military information concerning operations of the Army in the Field, in which it is pointed out that each officer or man who privately transmits information, even to those on whose discretion he may have the most complete reliance, inevitably facilitates the task of the enemy's agents, and indirectly sacrifices the lives of his comrades. A copy of this Army Order is being issued to all officers serving in the Army, with instructions to bring it continually to the notice of those serving under them, in order that all ranks may co-operate to ensure that the progress of the Army is not imperilled, or rendered more costly, by the criminal folly of a few individuals.

The War Office has notified that, in the case of appointments filled by alternative ranks, such as the command of a *dépôt* unit of supply, which may be held by either a captain or subaltern, it is immaterial which rank of officer is actually in that position. A captain may, therefore, be appointed to a position for which the alternative ranks of captain or subaltern are laid down, and a subaltern who happens to hold such a position, when promoted to the rank of Captain in the ordinary course, may continue to hold the appointment. A subaltern cannot, however, be regarded as having a claim to special promotion by virtue of holding the position.

The standard of height for recruits for the Army Cyclists Corps has been altered, the *minimum* height for the present being fixed at five feet four inches.

The Reverend H. B. de Montmorency, Chaplain to the Forces, now serving at the Curragh, has been selected for duty at Richmond Barracks, Dublin, in succession to the Reverend J. A. Pearson.

The Reverend T. R. F. Jeffreys has been appointed for temporary duty as Church of England Acting Chaplain to the Forces at the Command *Dépôt*, Ballyvonare.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

WAR OFFICE, JULY 27, 1916.

REGULAR FORCES.

INFANTRY.

Royal Irish Regiment—R. E. T. Hewitt, late Second Lieutenant York Regiment, to be temporary Second Lieutenant.

Connaught Rangers—Supernumerary Captain N. K. Stewart is restored to the establishment.

Royal Munster Fusiliers—Temporary Second Lieutenant E. L. Fraser relinquishes his commission on account of ill-health.

MILITARY OPTICIANS. — Dixon and Hempenstall, 12 Suffolk st., Dublin.—(Advt.)

BELFAST AND DISTRICT.

BELFAST OFFICE, 108 ROYAL AVENUE.
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

THURSDAY NIGHT.

An Inspiring Call.—Acknowledging the resolution of sympathy passed by the Belfast Water Board on the loss in action of his two sons, Mr. James Hollywood, ex-chairman of the Board, says he and his wife "have consolation in the knowledge that their sons had died like men in nobly doing their duty to their God and country, and in defence of the principles of right and liberty. We hope that their noble example, and that of the other brave men of the Ulster Division of all ranks who took part in the glorious and memorable achievement on the 1st July, will inspire the young men who have not yet risen to a sense of their duty to their country and to their kindred fighting in France to join the Army and carry on the work of the heroes who have fallen."

LLOYD'S MAIL NEWS.

ADELAIDE, Thurs.—Malwa, Sydney for London, ar.
CALCUTTA, Wed.—Morvada, for London, left.
GIBRALTAR, Thurs.—Mongara, from Bombay, passed.
GRAVESEND, Thurs.—Highland Piper, for Buenos Ayres, left.
IQUIQUE, Mon.—Deeis arrived.
KARACHI, Sun.—Karoa, for Bombay, left.
MADRAS, Mon.—Mishael arrived.
MANHAM, Mon.—Mooltan, London for Calcutta, ar.
PORT SAID, Wed.—Mooltan, for Yokohama, left.
PENANG, Tues.—July 23—Otaru Maru, for Japan, left.
PORT PIRIE, Mon.—Hubert, from Barbados, ar.
SEWALL'S POINT, Mon.—Bombay for Liverpool, arrived.
SUEZ, Wed.—Circassia, Bombay for Liverpool, arrived.
SHANGHAI, Tues.—Kamakura Maru arrived.
TABLE BAY, Fri.—Moreah, for Brisbane, left.
TABLE BAY, Sun.—Kitano Maru, from London, arrived, and left for Yokohama.

YESTERDAY'S SHIPPING REPORT.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. South Stack, ss. Slieve Bawn, ss. Rathmore, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dunure, from Heysham, with goods; ss. Olive, from Glasgow, with goods; ss. Lady Wimborne, from London, with goods; ss. Echo, from Bristol, with goods; ss. Arklow, from Belfast, with goods; ss. Hare, from Manchester, with goods; ss. W. M. Barkley, from Liverpool, with empties; ss. Eider, ss. Cameo, from Glasgow, with coals; ss. Cliffmore, from Ardrossan, ss. Ophir, from Partington, with coals.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. South Stack, ss. Slieve Bloom, ss. Rathmore, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Dunure, for Heysham, with goods; ss. Olive, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Arklow, for Hound, for Glasgow, with goods; ss. Blackrock, ss. Carlow, Waterford, with goods; ss. Wicklow, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Yarrow, for Silloth, with goods; ss. Hare, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Velenbell, Lady Cloe, for London, with goods; ss. Madie, for Belfast, light; ss. May, for Liverpool, light; ss. Zillah, for Llandulas, light; ss. Fulwood, for Preston light; ss. Clarrie, for Garston, with timber; ss. Acme, for Garston, light; ss. Mayflower, for Penmaenmawr, light; Ellie Park, for Glasgow, with scrap.

A party of representatives of Dominion Parliaments, with representatives of home authorities, passed through Thurso on Wednesday morning, and returned in the evening, when they were entertained by the Town Council. Sir James Carroll, New Zealand, said they had been impressed by the grim determination every where evident of the resolve to carry through the war to a victorious issue.

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DISABLED SOLDIERS INVITED TO DENMARK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

COPENHAGEN, THURSDAY.

The journal *Politiken* says the plan to invite many thousands of disabled soldiers from all belligerent countries to Denmark for the purpose of nursing them back to health and supplying them with clothing and good homes during the war is nearing realisation. The sum of £13,533 has already been privately subscribed, and a further £111,111 has been promised by banks and large trading concerns. In the near future a general appeal for funds will be issued to the people of Denmark and the Danish dependencies by Prince Waldemar, youngest brother of Queen Alexandra. The original intentions of placing invalid soldiers with private families all over Denmark has been abandoned. Instead they will be quartered at the great military camps of Hoevlte and Vaerloese. The entire scheme is under the direct control and guarantee of the Danish Government.

SALE OF THE MUNKITTRICK ESTATE, ARDEE.

At the Courthouse, Ardee, County Louth, on Wednesday, Messrs. Battersby and Co. offered for sale the Munkittrick estate, consisting of steam and other mills, business premises, private houses, ground rents, and profit rents in the town of Ardee. All the property was disposed of at good prices. In practically every case the tenant in occupation became the purchaser. Messrs. Blackford, Norton, and Smith (London), and Messrs. W. G. Bradley and Son (Dublin) acted for the vendors, whilst the tenants' interests were looked after by Messrs. J. M. Reilly and McKeever and Mr. Dickie, solicitors.

A Wellington telegram states that Mr. Massey, Premier, says that New Zealand has not received any communication regarding the Dominion being represented on the Commission of Inquiry into the Dardanelles campaign.

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to do the right thing in the right way to get right results. But in the affairs of life it is not always easy to decide what is the right thing to do. And many people, rather than choose a wrong course, do nothing. Undoubtedly there are circumstances and occasions when it is true wisdom to "wait and see," but such a policy is certainly a mistake when one's health is the matter for consideration. It is wrong to assume that irregularities will right themselves. Even should they do so, it is only at the cost of needless pain and trouble. Irregularities of the organs of digestion and assimilation in particular should not be neglected. It has been stated on good authority that about three-fourths of all general illness has its origin in some derangement of those important functions. Very many troublesome ailments arise therefrom. A sensible plan is

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TO-DAY AT 2.30 p.m. | CRICKET MATCH In the COLLEGE PARK. MILITARY OF IRELAND v. Mr. R. H. LAMBERT'S XI.
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A Gymkhana will be held on TO-MORROW (SATURDAY), 29th JULY, in Aid of the Funds of the Red Cross and St. John Ambulance Associations.
At 11.30 a.m.—Match between Miss Georgie Lauder and J. Martin (Milltown).
At 2 p.m.—Ladies' and Gentlemen's Foursome (Open). Entrance Fee, 2/6 per Pair.
At 3.30 p.m.—Putting, Approaching, and Driving Competitions, etc.
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By Order,
JOHN MOONEY, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, Town Hall, Blackrock, Co. Dublin, 26th July, 1916.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CORPORATION OF DUBLIN.
POTATO MARKET—HALSTON STREET.
Notice is hereby given that the Special Meeting of the Municipal Council of the City of Dublin, already announced by advertisement to be held on Monday, the 14th day of August, 1916, will not be held until 2 O'CLOCK in the afternoon of MONDAY, the 4th day of SEPTEMBER, 1916, to consider and, if approved of, adopt the Report of the Markets' Committee (No. 286, 1915) recommending the purchase of the "rights" claimed by Mr. J. Donohoe to hold a Potato Market on his premises, Halston street, in the City of Dublin, or otherwise, and to receive Stallages, Rents, and Tolls in respect thereof.
Dated this 27th day of July, 1916.
HENRY CAMPBELL, Town Clerk.
Town Clerk's Office, City Hall, Dublin.

FOR COMPANY NOTICES SEE FINANCIAL PAGE.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE OF CHARITABLE BEQUESTS.
In the Goods of
MRS. ELIZABETH MARY BASHFORD, late of 31 Clonmore road, Ballybough Bridge, Dublin, Widow, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 30 and 31 Vic., Cap. 54, that the above-named Deceased, who died on the 14th day of March, 1916, by her last Will, dated the 29th day of March, 1909, bequeathed to the Richmond Institution, 41 Upper Sackville street, £50; to the Association for Indigent Blind, 50 Lower Sackville street, £50; to the Rest for the Dying, Camden row, I.C., £100; to Miss Carr's Labour Homes, 53 Corrig avenue, Kingstown, £100, all free of legacy duty. She desired that the interest in lease of houses, Nos. 7 and 8 Little Denmark street, left by her grandfather, Francis Durham, should be disposed of, and the proceeds divided between St. Mary's Church, St. Thomas's Church, and Free Church, Great Charles street. The trifles left to be distributed as Executrix sees fit amongst deserving friends, or sold, and money added to charities of churches named. Probate of said Will was, on the 21st July, 1916, granted forth of the Principal Registry, King's Bench Division (Probate) of the High Court of Justice in Ireland to Rachel Charlotte Pemberton, of 2 Churchhill Villas, Glasnevin, Dublin, Spinster, the Sole Executrix named in the said Will.
Dated this 24th day of July, 1916.
ORLANDO P. BEATER, Solicitor for said Executrix, 10 Leinster street, Dublin.
To the Commissioners of Charitable Donations and Bequests and to all whom it may concern.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
RALPH MACGEOUGH BOND SHELTON, late of The Argory, Moy, in the County of Tyrone, late Captain in H.M. Army, D.L., Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to the 22nd and 23rd Victoria, Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be Creditors or otherwise to have any claim or demand against the Estate or Assets of the said Ralph MacGeough Bond Shelton, deceased, who died on the 8th day of March, 1916, are hereby required, on or before the 26th day of August, 1916, to furnish (in writing) the particulars of such claims or demands to Messrs. R. H. Beauchamp and Orr, of 5 Foster place, in the County of the City of Dublin, the Solicitors for the Executors of said Deceased, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased has been granted in the Principal Registry of the King's Bench Division (Probate), High Court of Justice, Ireland, on the 11th day of May, 1916, and in default thereof, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the Assets of the said Testator, having regard only to the claims of which notice and particulars shall have been given as above required.
Dated this 26th day of July, 1916.
R. H. BEAUCHAMP and ORR, Solicitors for the said Executors, 5 Foster place, Dublin.

Gazette Notice—Adjudication—Public Sittings—17.
IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE IN IRELAND.
KING'S BENCH DIVISION—IN BANKRUPTCY.
PETER SHERIDAN, of Main street, Granard, in the County of Longford, Shopkeeper, was, on the 12th day of July, 1916, adjudged Bankrupt.
Public Sittings will be held before the Court at the Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin, on Friday, the 4th day of August, 1916, and on Friday, the 18th day of August, 1916, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, whereat the Bankrupt is to attend, and to make a full disclosure and discovery of his estate and effects. Creditors may prove their debts, and at the First Sitting choose a Creditors' Assignee. At the Last Sitting the Bankrupt is required to finish his examination.
All persons having in their possession any property of the Bankrupt should deliver it, and all debts due to the Bankrupt should be paid, to A. G. Hollinshead, Official Assignee, Bankruptcy Buildings, Four Courts, Dublin, to whom creditors may forward their affidavits of debt.
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SUNRISE AND SUNSET.
(NEW TIME.)

To-day....Rises	5.9	Sets	9.4
To-morrow ,,	5.11	,,	9.2

LIGHTING-UP TIME.................. 10.4 P.M.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR TO-DAY.

Theatre Royal—Pictures, 2.30; Hippodrome, 6.45 & 9.
Gaiety Theatre—Closed.
Queen's Theatre—"The Crackswoman," 6.45 and 9.
Empire Theatre—6.50 and 9 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre—7 and 9 p.m.
Bohemian Picture Theatre—3 to 10.30 p.m.
Carlton Cinema—2 to 10.30 p.m.
Arcadia, Bray—Concert, 8.15 p.m.
Soldiers' and Sailors' Club—Cricket Match in College Park, 2.30 p.m.
Special Meeting of Port and Docks Board—Rates on Tonnage and Goods, 3 p.m.
Leighlin Diocesan Synod—Carlow.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 28, 1916.

German War News.

If we are to get a correct estimate of the Allies' prospects, it is not enough to study the development of the military situation. We must study also the effect of that development upon the *moral* of the enemy Governments and the enemy peoples. Fortunately, the progress of the Allies' offensive in west and east has provided trustworthy material for such an inquiry. We are not referring to the information about the German state of mind which from time to time leaks out through neutral countries; for much of that information cannot be taken at its face value. It is useful as corroborative testimony, but it cannot be regarded as authentic when it stands alone. At this moment, however, it does not stand alone. It corroborates the only source of intelligence that is absolutely unimpeachable—what we may call the internal evidences of the enemy's state of mind. Such evidences are to be found in the proceedings of the German Government, of the German Great General Staff, and of the officially inspired German Press. From these authentic sources we may gather that the progress of the Allies' offensive has induced a certain demoralisation among the enemy peoples. There has just appeared in all the German newspapers an appeal to the German people which is evidently of official origin. In it the public is told that the battle on the Somme now "exceeds all imagining," and that now is the hour for the German people to show what they are worth. It declares that confidence that the Army will do its utmost is absolute; but it asks, "Is our people at home the people it was at the beginning of the war?" The appeal goes on to say that every pessimistic thought is treason, that every word of complaint or discouragement is a crime. Such an appeal would not have been issued unless the condition of public feeling urgently demanded it. Clearly there is a good deal of pessimistic thought about, and many words of complaint and discouragement, when the Government feels it necessary to rebuke such manifestations openly. The appeal throws a significant light on the state of mind of the German people, and sufficiently answers the Government's question whether that people "is the people it was at the beginning of the war."

What makes the appeal the more remarkable is the fact that, if the German Great General Staff is to be believed, there is nothing whatever in the military situation which should daunt the spirit of any good German. Let us consider how the battle of the Somme has been seen through German eyes. On July 3rd, after the British had stormed a labyrinth of German trenches on a front of seven miles to a depth of a thousand yards, had taken four strongly fortified villages, and had captured four thousand prisoners and great quantities of material, the event was dismissed in the Berlin report with the remark that "the Anglo-French attack on both banks of the Somme secured, generally speaking, no advantages north of the river." On July 14th at dawn the second phase of the battle began with a brilliant assault by our troops on a four-mile front on the German second system of defence. The assault carried the two Bazentins and Longueval, the Bois des Trônes, and the Bois Delville, reached the enemy's third line, and discovered the first opportunity in nearly two years for a cavalry ride. The day's fighting was described to the German public as follows: "The English attacked this morning in the Mametz-Longueval sector, and renewed their efforts at Trônes Wood. Their first attempts having been driven off with heavy loss, fresh attacks are taking place." Finally, the local fighting which occurred at various points on the British front on July 20th, and everywhere achieved its objective, was described in the German Great General Staff's report as "a supreme British effort which everywhere ended in failure." Meanwhile the German Press is now publishing even more direct fictions. Mr. Stanley Washburn, the Correspondent of *The Times* with the Russian Armies, has just been the victim of a particularly flagrant one. The *Berliner Tageblatt*, in a "telegram from Amsterdam," reports him as having said that the Russian losses in the battle of the Stokhod were "terrible"; that the troops "came under the fire of eight German heavy batteries and had to retire"; and that they were "completely exhausted." What Mr. Washburn did say was that the Russians forced a crossing under the concentrated fire of eight German batteries, and that the Austro-Germans were so exhausted after the fighting that they made no effort to evade capture.

This falsification of military news by the German and Austrian Press is a development of later growth. The reports of the German Great General Staff, while always less frank and accurate than those of the Allies, were in the earlier stages of the war valuable material for serious study of the war, whereas they are now quite worthless. The comment of responsible German and Austrian journals, while always excessively optimistic, used to be sober and practical, whereas now it does not bear the most remote relation to the facts. The change has become most marked in both cases since the beginning of the Allies' concerted pressure in this year's campaign. The Socialist Vienna *Arbeiter Zeitung* was permitted to publish last week an extraordinary exposure of this falsification of military news by the German and Austrian Press. On the day, for example, on which the Berlin report admitted the loss of Contalmaison, the Berlin *Lokalanzeiger*, the *Vossische Zeitung*, and the *Tägliche Rundschau* produced enormous headlines about "heavy French losses," "defeat of the Russians," and so on, without mentioning Contalmaison at all. This procedure, the Austrian paper said, is not exceptional, but typical of what is consistently being done. It added that "by this systematic treatment careless readers do not become conscious at all that Germany is fighting a hard fight for her existence. . . . Such manufacture of opinion cannot have any effect on sensible people. Perhaps, it rather has a tendency to arouse suspicion." The German Government's appeal to public opinion shows that the *Arbeiter Zeitung* is right. The German people is by no means "the people it was at the beginning of the war." Despite the hypnotic influence of Government, General Staff, and inspired Press, it is beginning to get demoralised. We need not exaggerate the symptom; but we may get a true measure of the advance of the Allies' military task in the enemy peoples' dawning return to sanity.

The National Bank.

The report and the Chairman's speech at the half-yearly meeting of the National Bank yesterday show that the Bank's business continues to be conducted on sound and successful lines. The dividend for the half-year is at the respectable rate of 10 *per cent. per annum*, and the Bank's non-terminable investments are still virtually covered by the sum of £90,000, which was placed to the credit of the special reserve for depreciation. The National Bank was founded by Daniel O'Connell with a special eye to the business of Irish farmers, and certainly in these days the farmers, though traditional grumblers, cannot complain about the state of their business. They are making very large profits out of the war, and, as Sir John Purcell said, the prospects of the coming harvest are excellent. During the last few weeks the public has been given a peep into the family affairs of the National Bank—to the very proper regret of all intelligent shareholders. The family affairs of a bank, like those of a household, ought never to be allowed to get into the newspapers. The head offices of the National Bank are in London, and some of the shareholders in Ireland seem to have become a little jealous of the direction of the Irish business from the financial capital of the world. There was a rather ridiculous complaint, of which the Chairman disposed yesterday without difficulty, that a small part of the Bank's resources—little more than one-tenth—were being employed on the London Money Market. The real trouble arose, however, on a question of the appointment of directors. The Board, acting within its rights, sought to co-opt two well-known gentlemen. A body of shareholders in Ireland objected, and put forward three local names. The dispute was carried into the Press, and, if it had extended and grown bitter, the result must have been very bad for the Bank. Bishops may have their place in politics, but we venture to say that their intrusion is always a danger signal in finance. The matter has now been settled by large concessions to the dissentient shareholders. In future the election of directors is to take place in Dublin, and, by a further alteration in the deed of settlement, a permanent board of directors—subsidiary, we suppose, to the board in London—is to sit in Dublin. On this understanding the Board's nominees were elected yesterday without opposition, and a committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the introduction of the novel system of dual control. The Bank's friends and competitors will watch the course of the experiment with the utmost interest.

Lord Kitchener's Fund.

The patriotic public will rejoice to learn that the Lord Kitchener National Memorial Fund promises to be a great success. It has been open for less than a fortnight, and already a sum of £152,500 has been received in subscriptions. The Fund's purpose would have been dear to the heart of the great soldier in whose memory it has been founded. The income from it will be devoted in perpetuity to the provision of attention and comforts for disabled officers and men of the King's Navy and Army who stand in need of such assistance. The organisers are getting to work with admirable promptitude. They announced yesterday, at a meeting in London, that they are already providing disabled soldiers with articles—bicycles, mechanical chairs, and the like—which do not come within the scope of the War Pensions Fund. A site is being secured in London for a home for disabled officers, and this great boon will be made accessible with all possible speed. The Fund is now to be set on a national basis, and the heads of the Navy, the Army, and the Churches have been asked to sit upon its Council. We have only one criticism to offer of the imposing list of names which we print elsewhere. We do not doubt that the Fund will be handsomely supported from Ireland, which has done, and is doing, so much to help and cheer our fighting men. In the letter which we published on the 14th July the Lord Mayor of London urgently invited Irish subscriptions. It is certain that large numbers of our gallant Irish soldiers will need assistance from the Fund; and, since they have earned it nobly, they are sure to receive it. We think, therefore, that the names of one or two representative Irishmen should be added, on the Council of the Fund, to those of the heads of the Churches in Great Britain and of the two Services. Such a compliment would help to make this splendid project widely known and popular in Ireland.

Imitation.

One looks for an early development of the martial instinct in the city of the Dublin Fusiliers—but the law does not allow it to be developed at the ratepayers' expense. In the Juvenile Court yesterday eleven boys were punished with small fines for having caused injury to certain walls. They used the walls as material for barricades, around which they engaged in mimic combat. Some were soldiers and some *Sinn Feiners*; apparently these boys treated the merits of the late rebellion with a broad impartiality. In Ulster, on the other hand, the *rôle* of Jacobite in the battles of the 12th July was always unpopular. We are reminded once more of the persistently imitative tendencies of childhood. The average small boy will do what he has seen his elders do, without the slightest regard for law or morality. Indeed, most schoolmasters agree that up to a certain age he is, frankly, a non-moral person. It is now a well established fact that small boys are highly susceptible to the influence of the cinematograph. The display of the adventures of some fascinating "cracksman" has been followed in many places by regular epidemics of juvenile burglary. In recent months the thing has become a positive danger to society, and in most parts of Great Britain a strict censorship has been established over films that are intended for youthful spectators. The fact that the children are always watching "grown-ups" and always imitating them is one that even the most conscientious parents and the most thoughtful of elder brothers are apt to forget. It makes the streets of Dublin a shockingly bad academy for the children who haunt them. Far too often it is allowed to give a deplorable fluency and variety to the vocabulary of golf caddies.

REBELLION AND LEGAL MATTERS.

TEXT OF THE NEW BILL.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
LONDON, THURSDAY.

The text of the bill presented by the Attorney-General for Ireland to amend the law and the procedure of civil courts in Ireland in relation to conditions arising out of the disturbances was issued to-day.

It provides that the period between April 24 and May 8 shall not be reckoned "in computing the times limited for the doing of any act or the taking of any proceeding in any Court in Ireland." Where any such act or proceeding "is directed or allowed to be done on a certain day," if that day fell within the period of the act, is to be considered as in due time if done or taken before the end of May 9.

Where the Court is satisfied on an application made within the prescribed time and in the prescribed manner that by reason of the recent disturbances any person has been or is unable to do an act or take a proceeding within the time limited in that behalf by any statute, order, rule, regulation, deed, or agreement, the Court may grant such extension of time and such further and other relief upon such terms and in such manner as appears to that Court to be equitable.

Where any original documents required to be filed or lodged has been lost or destroyed, the High Court may authorise the filing of a properly authenticated copy.

In any action or proceeding for the recovery of a deed or other document or for damages for its loss or non-production it shall be a sufficient defence if it is proved that it was lost or destroyed in the disturbances.

No claim for compensation under any of the enactments relative to compensation for criminal or malicious injuries shall lie against the local authority in respect of any injury to person or property sustained in the course of the trouble.

The law is not to apply to criminal matters or proceedings.

CABINET MEETING.

The Cabinet met at 10 Downing street yesterday, and sat for two hours.

SACKVILLE STREET TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

The Post Office gives notice that, commencing on the 30th instant, the temporary telegraph office in the Sackville Hall, Dublin, will be open on Sundays between the hours of 9 a.m. to 10 a.m. and 4.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. In addition to the acceptance of telegrams, postage stamps will be sold and letters registered.

The Board of Trade announce that, with a view to economising the tonnage employed in the importation of oranges, it has been arranged that on and after August 7th all such imports (except the produce of the British Empire) must be carried in specially licensed ships. In order to give effect to this scheme, a proclamation will be issued prohibiting import of such oranges except under licence.

LONDON CORRESPONDENCE.

153 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
THURSDAY NIGHT.

It has been clear for some time that, if Mr. Ginnell continued to run amok against Ministers, he would sooner or later overstep the border-line of mere rudeness and commit some Parliamentary offence that would compel his suspension. The Speaker has been extraordinarily patient with him, and has given him a latitude that no ordinary man could expect. But this afternoon the expected happened. Early in question time Mr. Ginnell asked why he had not been furnished with a passport enabling him to visit certain countries for the ostensible purpose of studying the peat industry. Mr. Samuel replied that the matter had been delayed owing to the legal proceedings pending against the hon. member. A Liberal member thereupon expressed what I am afraid is a very general feeling in the House when he suggested that the passport should be issued on the hon. member's undertaking not to return.

Perhaps, provoked by that interjection, Mr. Ginnell a little later on characterised a reply given to him by Mr. Forster—the most suave and polite of Ministers—as "insolence." The Speaker mildly rebuked him, and, as he refused to withdraw either his disorderly question or his bodily presence, "named" him to the House. The Prime Minister then moved his suspension, which was carried without a dissentient voice, save Mr. Ginnell's own. The Serjeant-at-Arms then approached to remove him, but still he refused to budge. Mr. Flavin, sitting just behind, must have recalled the time when in similar circumstances the police were sent for, and, as he used to boast, it took six of them to carry him out. But the Speaker was loth to apply force to a fragile and elderly man, and instead declared the sitting suspended. Mr. Healy and other members entreated Mr. Ginnell to obey the order of the House, and in a few minutes he walked out. It was a painful business, but was handled with great tact by everybody concerned except the cause of the disturbance.

Unless the hon. member should promptly tender a suitable apology his suspension will continue for the remainder of the Session. The Standing Orders, as amended in 1902, do not specify any particular time for an ordinary suspension, but the old practice was that a first offence entailed suspension for a week. They provide, however, that when, as in this case, a member refuses to obey the direction of the Speaker when summoned to do so by the Serjeant-at-Arms, he shall be suspended from the service of the House during the remainder of the Session.

Mr. Clancy was informed that the Bill which the Government have promised to facilitate the reconstruction of the City of Dublin will be presented next week.

The persistence of Mr. Swift MacNeill in his endeavour to get the Dukes of Cumberland and Saxe-Coburg and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein deprived of their British titles and honours has at last been rewarded with success. The Prime Minister, who on former occasions was inclined to minimise the importance of the matter and to put technical obstacles in the way, has evidently recognised that the general feeling of the House and the country was with Mr. MacNeill. This afternoon he stated, amid cheers, that the Cabinet had considered the matter, and would advise His Majesty to take the necessary steps.

At the close of questions Mr. Dillon made a personal explanation regarding the attack which he made last night upon Mr. Walter Guinness, and admitted that he had made a mistake in claiming a personal acquaintance which he did not in reality possess with regard to the facts of a particular case. Mr. Dillon ought to be careful, for this is by no means the first time that his memory has misled him into serious error.

Mr. Walter Guinness was officially informed yesterday that consideration is being given to his motion for a return showing the detailed cases of unarmed men, women, and children shot by the rebels in the recent rebellion, giving the circumstances, etc. The hon. gentleman will place the motion again on the table on Monday, and, if the return is not then granted, will on a later day ask a question about it. The Prime Minister promised on Thursday last that such a return should be given. I may here mention that the completion of their business by the Advisory Committee concerning the prisoners taken in connection with the rebellion is reported to leave about 500 still in custody.

The Committee stage of the Special Commissions (Dardanelles and Mesopotamia) Bill revealed the Government in a very conciliatory mood—after a moral defeat which indicated that conciliation was the wiser course. In spite of the Prime Minister's protestations to the contrary, it was apparent that the Treasury Bench were not over-anxious to alter the *personnel* of either of the Commissions as announced yesterday. The name of Mr. Walter Roch was suggested for the Dardanelles Commission, and, though there was no course open to Mr. Asquith but to say that it was purely a matter for the House, he threw all his suasion, as far as decency permitted, against the addition of the member for Pembroke, or, indeed, of any other body. On a division however, Mr. Roch was included in the Commission by 102 to 95.

After this sharp reminder that the House wanted its own way there was no official objection to adding Mr. Wedgwood to the Mesopotamia inquiry. Still more surprising was the meek acceptance of a proposal by Sir Hedworth Meux to include on each Commission a retired Army and Naval officer. Yesterday Mr. Asquith set his face against any such suggestion, and it was apparent that the result of the first division had taught him caution. The rest of the Bill was dealt with in the most amicable spirit, the Government accepting every possible amendment to make the scope of the inquiries as wide as possible, but, contrary to expectation, the Bill was carried no further than Committee, and the remaining stages were held over till next week. The rest of the evening was spent on the Defence of the Realm (Acquisition of Land) Bill.

Members of the Commission of Inquiry regarding the conduct of operations in Mesopotamia are looking to the probability of a visit to that part of the world or some convenient centre near it for the collection of evidence. They expect to be at work while Parliament is in recess—and that, as previously reported, is likely to be from some day before the middle of August until the first or second week in October.

Sir Edward Carson, who is suffering from a cold, has gone into the country for a few days, but is expected back at the House of Commons for the further debate on the Irish situation on Monday.

It has been allowed to become known that the Nationalists, although they may be in opposition to the Government, will not press the opposition to any dangerous extreme. Liveliness may be anticipated from their benches, but it is to be harmless. The leaders of the party know that they cannot afford to upset the present Government with the Home Rule Act now in a state of suspended animation. Another Government might repeal the Act, so the Coalition must be endured.

WAR PENSIONS.

The War Pensions Statutory Committee, at their meeting in London yesterday, considered the questions raised by the deputation of local authorities to the Chancellor of the Exchequer on the 20th. They decided to ask the Treasury for their immediate approval of the regulations relating to the supplementary pensions and allowances, and resolved to call a special meeting for next Thursday to consider the reply if received.

IRISH "SETTLEMENT."

TEXT OF THE PARTITION SCHEME.

PERMANENT EXCLUSION OF SIX COUNTIES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)
LONDON, THURSDAY.

A White Paper was issued this evening, with the simple title, "Headings of a Settlement as to the Government of Ireland," and inscribed: "Presented to both Houses of Parliament by command of His Majesty." There is nothing in the way of explanation or enlargement, but the opening paragraphs make it clear that the Government of Ireland Act, 1914, was not to apply to the excluded area of Ulster. The following is the full contents of the White Paper:

1. The Government of Ireland Act, 1914, to be brought into operation as soon as possible after the passing of the bill, subject to the modifications necessitated by these instructions.

2. The said Act not to apply to the excluded area, which is to consist of the six counties of Antrim, Armagh, Down, Fermanagh, Londonderry, and Tyrone, including the Parliamentary Boroughs of Belfast, Londonderry, and Newry.

3. As regards the excluded area, the Executive power of His Majesty to be administered by a Secretary of State, through such officers and departments as may be directed by order of His Majesty in Council, those officers and departments not to be in any way responsible to the new Irish Government.

A Committee to be appointed, on which both of the Irish parties is to be represented, to assist the Government in preparing the necessary Orders in Council.

4. The number of Irish representatives in the United Kingdom House of Commons to remain unaltered (viz., 103).

5. The Irish House of Commons to consist of the members who sit in the United Kingdom House of Commons for constituencies within the area to which the Act applies.

6. A reduction to be made in the number of Irish Senators proportionate to the population of the excluded area. The Senators to be nominated by the Lord Lieutenant, subject to instructions from His Majesty.

7. The Lord Lieutenant to have power to summon conferences between the members for constituencies in the excluded area and the members for constituencies in the rest of Ireland.

8. A deduction to be made from item (a) of the transferred sum—(cost of Irish services) when ascertained proportionate to the population of the excluded area.

9. Provision to be made for permanent sittings of a High Court judge or judges in Belfast appointed by the Imperial Government, or for the constitution of a new Court in Belfast, with the same jurisdiction as that of the High Court, but locally limited.

All appeals both from the Courts in the excluded area and those in the rest of Ireland to go to the Appeal Court in Dublin, which is to be composed of judges appointed by the Imperial Government, and having the like tenure of office as English judges.

The appeals from the Court of Appeal in Dublin, whether as respects cases coming from the excluded area or from the rest of Ireland, to go to the same tribunal of appeal in England. Whether it should be the House of Lords or the Privy Council is for the present immaterial.

10. Section Thirty of the Government of Ireland Act to be extended to any disputes or questions which may arise between the excluded area and the new Irish Government.

11. His Majesty's power of making Orders in Council for the purposes of the Act to be extended so as to include power to make the necessary adjustments and provisions with respect to the government of the excluded area and relations between that area and the rest of Ireland, Great Britain, etc.

12. Amongst the various questions to which attention must be directed in this connection will be the question of fixing fair rents under the Irish Land Acts. It is proposed that there should be two Commissioners specially allocated for fixing rents in the excluded area, and appointed by the British Government.

13. All Orders in Council under the new Act to be laid before both Houses of Parliament in the same manner as Orders under the Government of Ireland Act. (See S. 48).

14. The bill to remain in force during the continuance of the war, and a period of twelve months thereafter, but if Parliament has not by that time made further and permanent provision for the government of Ireland the period for which the bill is to remain in force is to be extended by Order in Council for such time as may be necessary in order to enable Parliament to make such provision.

It is also understood that at the close of the war there should be held an Imperial Conference, with a view to bringing the Dominions into closer co-operation with the Government of the Empire, and that the permanent settlement of Ireland should be considered at that Conference.

UNIONIST GROUP AND SETTLEMENT.

A number of Unionist members in favour of settlement by consent of the Irish crisis met in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, and decided to meet again after the debate next week.

MONDAY'S DEBATE ON MR. DILLON'S MOTION.

The Irish Party are issuing a Whip for Monday for Mr. Dillon's motion on the government of Ireland. The Government have also issued a three-line Whip for the same occasion.

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY O.T.C.

THE COMMEMORATION FUND.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee held at 14 Grafton street, Dublin, there were present—Sir Maurice Dockrell, D.L. (in the chair); Tennison Collins, M. B. Mathews, L. A. West, Lewis H. S. Beatty, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer. Further progress was made with the arrangements for the function to be held in Trinity College upon the afternoon of Saturday, 5th of August. By kind permission of the Provost, the presentation to the Officers' Training Corps will take place in the Provost's Garden, College grounds; but should the afternoon prove inclement, the Examination Hall will be used for the purpose. The presentation will consist of a fine pair of massive silver cups, specially manufactured by Messrs. West and Son, and will, in the first instance, be handed by the Chairman of the meeting to the Commandant of the Officers' Training Corps, and by him to the Provost, as a perpetual trust, commemorative of the defence of Trinity College in Easter week, 1916.

Replicas of the cups to the number of over 150 will be presented to individual defenders, and included in this category will be some ladies, who rendered heroic and notable services during the defence. There will also be a presentation of swords to some of the principal officers of the corps, upon each of which will be inscribed the name of the individual officer.

It is further intended to issue a handsome souvenir of the commemoration, a copy of which will be given to each subscriber to the commemoration fund.

Announcements in due course will be made as to further dispositions of the fund; but it may be mentioned that already arrangements have been entered into with the authorities of Sir Patrick Dun's Hospital for the endowment, out of the fund, of a bed in the hospital, devoted to the Dublin University Officers' Training Corps. The presentation cups and replicas are now on show in Messrs. West and Son's (Grafton street) windows.

THE KITCHENER MEMORIAL FUND.

Lord Derby presided yesterday at a private luncheon given by the organisers of the Lord Kitchener Memorial Fund to some London editors and journalists. The Lord Mayor of London, Treasurer, and Sir Hedley Le Bas, Joint Hon. Secretary, were among those present. The fund, which has been in existence only eleven days, has reached a total of £152,500.

Sir Hedley Le Bas, in an interview, said that the object of the fund was to provide both disabled officers and men of the Navy and Army with articles which are outside the regulations of the Statutory Committee. Waterbeds, bicycles, mechanical chairs, and similar appliances will be given to disabled men for use in their own homes at once, and within a week or so the fund hoped to be able to announce it had secured a suitable building in London for a home for disabled officers discharged from hospital. Owing to the growth of the fund, the Council had decided to place it on a national basis, and to invite the following to join the Council:—The Archbishops of Canterbury and York, Cardinal Bourne, the Chairman of the Free Church Council, the Chief Rabbi, General Booth, Admiral Jellicoe, Lord French, Sir Douglas Haig, Mr. G. N. Barnes, M.P.; Mr. Will. Crooks, M.P.; the Governors-General of Canada, Australia, New Zealand, and South Africa, and the Viceroy of India.

VISCOUNT GREY is back in London, and will resume his duties at the Foreign Office to-day. The Russian Ambassador was among the callers there yesterday afternoon.

AWARDS FOR GALLANTRY.

IRISH NAMES IN THE LIST.

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A number of Unionist members in favour of a settlement by consent of the Irish crisis met at the House of Commons yesterday, says *The Times*, and decided to meet again after the debate next week. This brief announcement, coupled with the letters from Sir Edward Carson and Lord Henry Bentinck, which appeared in *The Times* of yesterday, has helped to produce a better atmosphere on the Irish question at Westminster than seemed possible at the beginning of the week. The official publication of the Headings of a settlement can do nothing but good. The Nationalist members met again yesterday, but took no overt action. They merely settled their course of procedure in the debate which Mr. Dillon will initiate on Monday on the future government of Ireland.

IRISH UNITY.

Mr. Rochfort Maguire writes to *The Times*:—The recent Irish negotiations seem to make two points clear which should not be lost sight of. The first is the intense aversion of the inhabitants of the three southern provinces, largely shared by the inhabitants of Ulster, to the idea of the political dismemberment of Ireland. The opposition to this proposal may be said to have produced in the three provinces something nearer unanimity than anything known there before. The second point is that the war, which, as Sir Edward Carson says, "swallows up everything," has not so far altered the position taken up by Ulster, for the terms that province is prepared to accept now show no advance upon the terms that would have been accepted in July, 1914. Since that date, however, the war has intervened, and the tone of Sir Edward Carson, and presumably of his colleagues, has perceptibly changed. It would appear that these altered conditions ought to produce an advance in proposals for a settlement, and that some is due from Ulster.

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Sir Douglas Haig said in his first bulletin yesterday that our troops continue "pressing the enemy," and there can be no more concise description, says *The Times*, of the present position on the Somme. The most remarkable feature of the British offensive is the way it steadily moves forward. The central event of this week has been the complete capture of the village of Pozières, at which point our advance has been carried beyond the houses to the windmill on the ridge farther north. This windmill stands on the highest part of the ridge, and occupies a slightly more commanding position than the Foureaux Wood, which lies three miles to the east. Not only does the site of the ruined windmill dominate the road to Bapaume, but it gives access to the Thiepval plateau, where the enemy have long been strongly posted. Until our troops are more extensively established on the main ridge, however, and until a deeper impression has been made in the direction of Combles, speculation about the future must continue to be premature.

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In a letter to *The Times*, Sir A. Conan Doyle advocates body shields as defence against machine gun-fire. I venture to say, he writes, that, if three intelligent metal-workers were put together in consultation, they would, in a few days, produce a shield which would take the greater part of those men safely across. We have definite facts to go upon. A shield of steel of ¼ of an inch will stop a point-blank bullet. Far more will it stop one which strikes it obliquely. Suppose such a shield, fashioned like that of a Roman soldier, 2 feet deep and 3 feet broad. Admittedly it is heavy—well over 30lbs. in weight. What then? The man has not far to go, and he has the whole day before him. A mile in a day is good progress as modern battles go. What does it matter, then, if he carries a heavy shield to cover him? Why can the idea not be tried at once?

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

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Mr. SAMUEL—Yes, one of these bills—Law and Procedure (Emergency Provisions), Ireland—has already been introduced, and will be circulated to-day. It is hoped to introduce the other bill next week. I would remind the hon. member that the provisions to be inserted in this bill form the subject of discussion between the Dublin Corporation and the Government departments concerned, and the latest proposals of the Corporation were put forward on the 18th inst.

THE LATE REBELLION.

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In reply to Mr. P. Meehan,

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(BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT WITH THE PROPRIETORS OF *THE TIMES*.)

UNIONISTS AND IRELAND.

A number of Unionist members in favour of a settlement by consent of the Irish crisis met at the House of Commons yesterday, says *The Times*, and decided to meet again after the debate next week. This brief announcement, coupled with the letters from Sir Edward Carson and Lord Henry Bentinck, which appeared in *The Times* of yesterday, has helped to produce a better atmosphere on the Irish question at Westminster than seemed possible at the beginning of the week. The official publication of the "Headings of a settlement" can do nothing but good. The Nationalist members met again yesterday, but took no overt action. They merely settled their course of procedure in the debate which Mr. Dillon will initiate on Monday on the future government of Ireland.

IRISH UNITY.

Mr. Rochfort Maguire writes to *The Times*:—The recent Irish negotiations seem to make two points clear which should not be lost sight of. The first is the intense aversion of the inhabitants of the three southern provinces, largely shared by the inhabitants of Ulster, to the idea of the political dismemberment of Ireland. The opposition to this proposal may be said to have produced in the three provinces something nearer unanimity than anything known there before. The second point is that the war, which, as Sir Edward Carson says, "swallows up everything," has not so far altered the position taken up by Ulster, for the terms that province is prepared to accept now show no advance upon the terms that would have been accepted in July, 1914. Since that date, however, the war has intervened, and the tone of Sir Edward Carson, and presumably of his colleagues, has perceptibly softened. It would appear that these altered conditions ought to produce an advance in proposals for a settlement, and that some move is due from Ulster.

"PRESSING THE ENEMY."

Sir Douglas Haig said in his first bulletin yesterday that our troops continue "to press the enemy," and there can be no more concise description, says *The Times*, of the present position on the Somme. The most hopeful feature of the British offensive is that it steadily moves forward. The central exploit this week has been the complete capture of the village of Pozières, at which point our advance has been carried beyond the houses to the windmill on the ridge farther north. The windmill stands on the highest part of the ridge, and occupies a slightly more commanding position than the Foureaux Wood, which is three miles to the east. Not only does the site of the ruined windmill dominate the road to Bapaume, but it gives access to the Thiepval plateau, where the enemy have long been strongly posted. Until our troops are more extensively established on the main ridge, however, and until a deeper impression has been made in the direction of Combles, speculation about the future must continue to be premature.

BODY SHIELDS.

In a letter to *The Times*, Sir A. Conan Doyle advocates body shields as defence against machine gun-fire. I venture to say, he writes, that, if three intelligent metal-workers were put together in consultation, they would, in a few days, produce a shield which would take the greater part of those men safely across. We have definite facts to go upon. A shield of steel of ⅛ of an inch will stop a point-blank bullet. Far more will it stop one which strikes it obliquely. Suppose such a shield, fashioned like that of a Roman soldier, 2 feet deep and 3 feet broad. Admittedly it is heavy—well over 30lbs. in weight. What then? The man has not far to go, and he has the whole day before him. A mile in a day is good progress as modern battles go. What does it matter, then, if he carries a heavy shield to cover him? Why can the idea not be tried at once?

THE STOCK EXCHANGE.

The volume of business, says *The Times*, was maintained at about the previous day's level, and in most departments prices moved within narrow limits. There were, however, several features of interest in the Miscellaneous Market, conspicuous among which was a further very sharp rise in Prince Line Shares, while Courtaulds were bought on the dividend statement.

RECONSTRUCTION OF DUBLIN.

BILL TO BE INTRODUCED NEXT WEEK.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. CLANCY asked the Home Secretary, in reference to the two bills which the Government had promised to introduce to facilitate the reconstruction of the portion of the City of Dublin destroyed in the course of the recent disturbances, and to effect an amendment of legal procedure rendered necessary by those disturbances, whether he could say when they would be introduced; and whether he was aware that the early passage into law of those measures was a matter of great urgency. He said—In putting this question I would like to say that I did not know that one of the two bills was to be introduced yesterday (Wednesday).

Mr. SAMUEL—Yes, one of these bills—Law and Procedure (Emergency Provisions), Ireland—has already been introduced, and will be circulated to-day. It is hoped to introduce the other bill next week. I would remind the hon. member that the provisions to be inserted in this bill form the subject of discussion between the Dublin Corporation and the Government departments concerned, and the latest proposals of the Corporation were put forward on the 18th inst.

THE LATE REBELLION.

QUESTIONS IN THE COMMONS.

Mr. GINNELL asked a question about William O'Reilly, a prisoner at Frongoch Camp.

Mr. SAMUEL said that if the question referred to Michael O'Reilly, an Irish prisoner at Frongoch, he was informed by the Commandant at the camp that this man was sentenced on July 13 to 168 hours' close confinement for inciting his fellow-prisoners to insubordination. Close confinement entailed a certain reduction in the scale of diet, which has to be approved by the medical officer, and was carried out in the camp cells. The man was not continuously confined, inasmuch as he was allowed walking exercise for at least two hours daily. The punishment was imposed by the usual Commandant's Court, and O'Reilly was allowed to defend himself. The punishment was now at an end.

Mr. FLAVIN asked if the three Irish female prisoners interned at Lewes might take exercise outside the prison grounds.

Mr. SAMUEL said he was unable to accede to this request. The Commandant at Lewes reported that the prisoners in question looked very well, and sat out in the open all day, and were able, if they desired, to get walking exercise in the exercise ground. The medical officer reported that all three were in excellent health. I would add, said Mr. Samuel, that as the wing of Lewes Prison, of which these ladies are the sole occupants, is needed for other purposes, I have arranged for their transfer to Aylesbury, where other ladies are interned under Regulation 14 B.

In reply to Mr. P. Meehan,

Mr. SAMUEL said the case of James Dwyer, of 7 Inns quay, Dublin, had been dealt with by the Advisory Committee, who had recommended that he should remain interned.

FURTHER RISE IN WHEAT.

Wheat advanced two shillings a quarter to sixty shillings at Driffield yesterday. This represents an increase of nine shillings in three weeks.

At Plymouth Corn Exchange yesterday, English wheat prices were fifty-six to fifty-seven shillings per quarter, a shilling more than a week ago. Those holding the cereal showed a disposition to retain it for the time being. Barley was a shilling, and oats threepence to sixpence dearer.

STEADY BRITISH PRESSURE.

STRUGGLE FOR A TRENCH.

BATTLES AT DELVILLE AND LONGUEVAL.

FRENCH MAKE PROGRESS.

There is no relaxation of the British pressure on the enemy, and yesterday Sir Douglas Haig reported that there had been many hand-to-hand encounters at various points.

The night report shows that there has been somewhat severe fighting north of Pozieres-Bazentin le Petit, where, on Wednesday night, we captured about 200 yards of an important trench which had hitherto resisted our efforts. Yesterday the Germans counter-attacked, and regained possession, but a further effort by our troops secured a footing in the southern end.

The enemy has been cleared from the east and north-east of Delville Wood, where heavy fighting is in progress. There is also much fighting at Longueval, where we have regained portion of the north-east of the village.

Our French Allies report some progress east of Estrees. In Champagne the enemy made a strong attack on a front of about twelve hundred metres. It was stopped by barrage fire, which inflicted losses on the enemy. The Germans only succeeded in penetrating some advanced elements of the line, from which they were driven out. Progress was also made west of Thiaumont work.

BRITISH OFFICIAL.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS, FRANCE,
THURSDAY, 1.57 P.M.

During the night our artillery has been active, and we have continued to press the enemy in hand-to-hand encounters at various points.

The enemy is using a large number of gas and tear shells in the battle area.

Elsewhere on the British front no incidents of importance have occurred during the past 48 hours.

10.15 P.M.

To-day there has been hard infantry fighting to the north-east of Pozières and in the vicinity of Longueval and Delville Wood.

North of a line Pozières-Bazentin le Petit we succeeded last night in capturing about 200 yards of an important enemy trench, which had hitherto successfully resisted all our attacks.

This morning, after intense enfilade artillery fire, the enemy succeeded in regaining possession of the whole trench, but our troops immediately attacked again, and have once more gained a footing in the southern end. On our right flank, after hard fighting, we have driven the enemy from the east and north-east of Delville Wood. Heavy fighting still continues in this vicinity, including Longueval, where we have regained a portion of the north-east part of the village.

About 1 a.m. on July 26 a small party of the enemy entered our trenches immediately west of the Ypres-Pilcken road, but were at once driven out. Further south after an artillery preparation a party of British troops raided the enemy's line. The Germans were encountered in front of their own wire, and sustained the loss of some thirty killed.

The British infantry then forced their way into the trenches, in which were found many Germans killed by our bombardment.

Some good work was accomplished by the Royal Flying Corps on the 26th, locating the enemy batteries and new constructed defences. Owing to the clouds and mist our machines had to fly very low, and two of them are missing.

FRENCH OFFICIAL.

Yesterday afternoon's French *communiqué* states:—

From the south of the Somme we made some progress.

There was a lively fusilade in the neighbourhood of Soyécourt.

To the north of the Aisne the enemy after a violent bombardment attacked yesterday evening, but his attacks failed under our machine-gun fire.

In Champagne the bombardment directed yesterday evening against our positions to the west of Fresnes was followed towards 10 p.m. by a strong attack made on a front of about 1,200 metres.

It was stopped by our curtain fire, which caused losses to the enemy, who was only able to penetrate into some advanced elements of our line, from which our counter-attacks drove him shortly afterwards.

On the Verdun front the artillery duels recommenced with a certain intensity during the night in the sector of Hill 304 and in the region of Fleury and La Lausse.

We made some progress with grenades to the west of the Thiaumont work.

Last night's *communiqué*:—

There was the usual bombardment on the greater part of the front. There was a violent cannonade on the right bank of the Meuse, especially in the sectors of Fleury, the Bois Fumin, and Chenois.

Aviation—At about 10.45 this morning three enemy aeroplanes dropped bombs on Credy, in Valois. Three women were wounded, and one girl was killed.

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

Yesterday's Berlin *communiqué*:—

Between the Ancre and the Somme until night there was strong reciprocal artillery activity. West of Pozières enemy hand-grenade fighting was repulsed.

Near Fleury several strong French attacks were repulsed at some points. The fighting continues. Strong British reconnaissances on the front south-west of Warneton and patrols near Richebourg were repulsed.

A French surprise attack north of Vienne le Chateau, in Western Argonne, failed. Near Villeau Bois and north-east of Prunay our patrols returned from a French position with about 50 prisoners. Near Beime, east of Rheims, a French biplane was shot down in an air fight.

GERMANY AND ENGLAND'S EFFORT.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.)
AMSTERDAM, THURSDAY.

The *Kreuz Zeitung* says that it feels compelled to utter a warning against the optimism of an article which appeared in the *Berliner Lokalanzeiger* yesterday, reproducing the alleged opinion of a person who was recently in England, where he says he gathered the conviction that unless the Allied offensive within the next four to six weeks shows greater results, Great Britain will be convinced of the futility of any further onsets against the German lines. The *Kreuz Zeitung* points out that Great Birtain in this war has made exertions unsurpassed in her history, and has succeeded in forming against Germany an unprecedented coalition, and it asks will Great Britain give up the enterprise before she is fully beaten, and while she still has means to prosecute the war. The Conservative organ refuses to believe the rumour about Great Britain's exhaustion, unless clear evidence of these assertions is adduced, and such evidence, it says, is not at present forthcoming.

Lloyd's Copenhagen Agent telegraphs:—The Danish steamer Normandiet, for La Pallice, with wood pulp, has been seized by a German torpedo boat, and brought southward in the Sound, presumably to Swinemunde.

THE BRITISH ADVANCE.

TERRIFIC BOMBARDMENT.

HOW THE GERMANS SUFFERED.

ASTONISHING ADMISSIONS IN A COLONEL'S DIARY.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.)

Reuter's Agency is enabled to publish some extracts from the diary of Lieutenant-Colonel Bedall, commanding 16th Bavarian Infantry Regiment, 10th Bavarian Division, who was taken prisoner by the British on the 13th inst. during the operations on the Somme. It forms a complete account of the doings of his own regiment, and deals fully with the experiences of his troops during the first twelve days of the "great push," and is in strange contrast to the optimistic character of some of the German *communiqués*.

On June 30th the diary announces that the "British began to bombard Bapaume with guns of very heavy calibre," and records the fact "that on July 1st and 2nd intense artillery fire continued without a pause." Later Colonel Bedall assembled the battalion commanders, and explained the situation in the following terms:—"After very intense bombardment of the entire 2nd Army front, and under cover of a ground haze, the long-expected English offensive has set in. With overwhelming superiority of artillery the English have maintained for eight days an infernally violent bombardment, and this in part with guns of the heaviest calibre (28 c.m.), and with naval guns. This was directed on our trenches, our second and third lines, our billets and on villages. It has set fire to and blasted into ruins almost all hamlets behind our first line as far back as 15.20 k.m. This has enabled them at the outset to obtain partial successes south of the Ancre rivulet, but north of it we have been able to maintain our positions, except for a few unimportant alterations in the line.

"South of the Ancre rivulet the English succeeded in penetrating our lines on a narrow front south of Fricourt, in the direction of Mametz Wood. Further, they succeeded in carrying our positions south and south-east of Mametz (these positions had not been sufficiently well constructed?) and gained ground by their advance *via* Mametz and Montauban, where they consolidated the ground won."

SEVERE LOSSES FROM BOMBARDMENT.

"Also further penetration of our line was threatened by their thrust east of Montauban, in the general direction north-west." The troops who had so far held the lines south of Mametz and south of Montauban (Prussians, among them Regiment No. ———), had sustained severe losses from the intense enemy bombardment, which had been maintained for many days without pause, and for the most part were already shot to pieces."

While on the German side the first line on such part of the 2nd Army front as was subjected to the attack was held by only five divisions, with 2nd-3rd Divisions in reserve, according to accounts received on the front Monchy-Roye 22nd-26th Divisions had been concentrated for an attack on a narrow front *echeloned* in considerable depth. "The necessary artillery and infantry reinforcements were to some extent concentrated towards the end of June. Under these circumstances there was a very heavy task awaiting us." "The position became even more critical, because it afterwards came out that the 6th Bavarian Reserve Regiment, which on the morning of 1st July, was thrown into Montauban, had been completely destroyed (of 3,500 men only 500 survivors remained), and these are for the most part men who had not taken part in the battle, plus two regimental officers and a few stragglers who turned up on the following day. All the rest are dead, wounded or missing. Only a small fraction fell into the enemy's hands as prisoners. The regimental Staff and battalion Staffs have all been captured in their dug-outs. The 6th Bavarian Reserve Regiment is said to have surrendered owing to complete shortage of ammunition which had all been expended, but maintained a heroic resistance until the last moment. These dirty English are said to have slain these brave people without mercy although lack of ammunition rendered them all but defenceless, and although by signals they showed their readiness to surrender."

A COMBINED ATTACK.

On the evening of July 2nd orders were issued for a combined attack to be made in the morning hours by the 16th Bavarian Regiment and the 12th Reserve Division. The Colonel writes that the advance took place in very good order, in spite of intense artillery and machine gun fire, and then continues:—"After the artillery ravine was reached a very costly fight ensued, especially as a strong enfilade fire was experienced. The last battalion in the centre of the ravine had a very hard time of it for many hours. The 2nd had occupied a quarry north of Montauban, and also the ground immediately west of it, and there maintained an obstinate resistance. Elements of the 2nd Battalion, by a courageous persistent assault, had temporarily secured possession of the 'Starbasser' trench, and in a plucky hand grenade fight had pressed the English back towards Montauban. While this advance of my two battalions took place, with careful and well-judged regard to the objective given—the left flank, west of Montauban, and the right, just beyond 'Granat' ravine, there was nothing to be seen or heard of the 12th Reserve Division, which was to have taken part in the battle."

THREATENED WITH ANNIHILATION.

"A report came in from the two battalions which were now fighting that they were bearing the brunt of very intense bombardment, and were also under machine gun fire, so that it was evident that they would be annihilated unless the timely intervention of the 12th Reserve Division eased the position of the 16th Regiment; also that the support of our artillery must be more effective, seeing that at the present time it could not be said to satisfy imperative needs. I, therefore, made an earnest appeal to this division, but at first it insisted on the continuation of the attack, which had no chance of success. Only when I declared that my entire regiment would be lost if permission was going to be withheld from me to break off the costly battle did the 28th Reserve Division consent. Thereupon I issued orders to both battalions—'The attack of the 1st and 2nd Battalions of the 16th Regiment will not continue. In the course of the day and during the ensuing night the battalions will break off the engagement and withdraw on the second line—Bazentin le Grand-Longueval. But this second line will be strengthened and held at all costs. During the forenoon the regimental staff had moved its headquarters from Longueval to Bazentin le Grand. In the last-named place lay also the staff of the 26th Reserve Brigade (Major-General V. Bressler and Captain of Artillery von Bredon). The 16th Regiment was under orders of this brigade, and had thus moved into the same dug-out as the brigade staff. A heavy battle raged all day. Villages, roads, trenches, and troops came under intense artillery fire. Only with difficulty could even the regimental staff reach its new battle headquarters after it had left Longueval, for that, too, was now exposed to heavy shelling. The 1st Battalion succeeded in retiring to the allotted position with relatively small losses, because use was made of dead ground east of the small road Mametz Wood-Bazentin le Grand. But the 2nd Battalion was forced to remain in the quarry, and immediately west of it, until midnight, and was all the time exposed to shell fire and to very intense machine gun fire. Finally it succeeded in reaching its position in the sector Bazentin le Grand-Longueval and maintaining itself there. The retirement towards morning was effected by splitting up into small groups."

VERY HARD AND COSTLY DAYS.

"These days—1st and 2nd July—were very hard for the 16th Bavarians, and cost heavy losses; but the men carried out their duties bravely, not minding death or wounds, and maintained their reputation as the 16th Bavarians and as heroes. I greatly rejoiced over the achievements of the regiment, which met with the unstinted praise of all our superiors, and am proud to command such a fine regiment."

"3rd July—The first and 2nd Battalions, on reaching their allotted posts in the sector Bazentin le Grand sugar refinery, south-east of Longueval, worked very hard at improving the position, but occasionally suffered from shelling. The 3rd Battalion had also dug itself in on the eastern fringe of Mametz Wood, and was there established. On 4th July the 3rd Battalion, during the morning hours, brilliantly repulsed repeated English attacks on the southern part of Mametz Wood. On this occasion the 12th Company, on the right wing especially, threw the English back with considerable loss by a daring hand grenade encounter. During the day the 1st and 2nd Battalions worked at improving their position. The 3rd Battalion, which does not now belong to the regiment, did likewise. Artillery fire throughout the day, but especially during the ensuing night in the trenches held by the regiment, and on Bazentin village. Towards evening, at several points on our new front, the English attempted attacks which for the most part were satisfactorily foiled."

A STRONG ENGLISH ATTACK.

"Towards evening on July 5th a strong English attack matured, which had been preceded by several hours' artillery preparation. This attack developed from the direction of Fricourt, towards Contalmaison, where the English succeeded in occupying the Jaeger Height, south-west of the village, but they were thrown back again by a counter-attack, undertaken towards evening by the 185th Infantry Brigade. During the night Bazentin le Grand was under heavy shell fire, while Longueval was bombed by English airmen."

Colonel Bedall was so pleased with the behaviour of the troops under his command that he issued a regimental order praising and thanking them. The diary then proceeds:—

"In the afternoon of July 6th the English attacked with strong forces, coming from the direction of Boisselle, on either side of Contalmaison. The 185th Infantry Brigade was this evening, or, rather, during the night, by counter-attack, to re-take the Jaeger Height, south-west of Contalmaison. Towards midnight the din of battle was very pronounced, coming from the direction of Contalmaison. It continued with undiminished strength throughout the forenoon. Strong English forces, in part conveyed by motor lorries, are coming from the direction of Fricourt, Kuchen Ravine, and Mametz Wood, about noon, which all points to the continuation of English attacks. Some of these were partially repulsed."

"7th July—The English at once again let off gas. Bazentin le Grand, and the positions of the 16th Regiment were subjected to a lively bombardment on the evening of the 6th inst., which has completely wrecked them. The attack, which started in the afternoon of the 6th July near Contalmaison, was continued without a pause, and with varying success, on the 7th July. The line was pierced as far as Contalmaison. Fourteen companies of the 3rd Guards Division were ordered to counter-attack, coming from the direction of Martinpuich and Flers, and advancing south-west on Contalmaison."

SURPRISE FIRE.

"At 10 p.m. Bazentin le Grand was subjected to half an hour's surprise fire by the enemy's artillery. This was of unprecedented violence, and destroyed the village to such an extent that there is nothing but a heap of bricks to be seen there now. In the course of July 10th there was very heavy fighting in Mametz Wood, in which No. 1 Section of the Machine Gun Company of the 16th Regiment suffered exceptionally great loss by the direct hit of fifteen men and one platoon commander killed, and twelve men wounded."

"Lieutenant Beilhack was this afternoon killed in the trenches near Longueval. In the afternoon an English machine was shot down quite close to Bazentin le Grand. The occupants, two English officers (captains) fell with their machine about 1,000 metres. Both were brought in wounded into the casualty clearing station, where I had an opportunity of seeing them. Towards evening a furious struggle began in Mametz Wood. This lasted the entire night, until the morning. The 3rd Battalion of the 16th Regiment and the 2nd Battalion of the Lehr Regiment were heavily engaged. To-day a draft of 300 men arrived from a recruit battalion. Each battalion received 100 men to make up for losses. Bazentin le Grand was repeatedly shelled to-day, but during the night less so than usual."

"On July 11th," he continues, "during the day, very intense and methodical shelling of regimental sector from 9 a.m. till late in the evening by guns of very heavy calibre, including 28 c.m. Bazentin le Grand suffered terribly, but the sector held by the 3rd Battalion of the Lehr Regiment suffered no loss (on our immediate right). Bazentin le Grand is to-day a scene of war and devastation which cannot be improved upon. The 3rd Battalion of the 16th Regiment found the situation inside Mametz Wood to be very unfavourable, and suffered severely in consequence. During the day the regimental sector was bombarded in the usual way, and Bazentin was also much damaged. There was heavy fighting in Trônes Wood. At nightfall the 1st Battalion Infantry Regiment 190 was placed at my disposal, and is under my command. It bivouacked in the hollow north-west of Bazentin le Grand."

On July 13th the Colonel was taken prisoner by the British, and his diary ends.

The Foreign Office announces that many of the statements which have appeared in the Press respecting British action in enforcing upon Dutch fishing vessels the Law of Contraband have been inaccurate. No suggestion has been made that the whole Dutch fishing fleet should be laid up. It is hoped to arrive at an agreement in the matter.

RUSSIANS MAKE MORE PROGRESS.

LEMBERG MENACED.

PURSUIT OF TURKS IN CAUCASUS.

The Russians are making steady progress, and General Sakharoff is now reported moving on Brody. The road to Lemberg is threatened.

Yesterday's Petrograd *communiqué*:—

Western front.—Last night the enemy, about a company strong, took the offensive in the sector south of Lake Voltchino, and north of Lake Miadzol. We drove the enemy back into his trenches.

In the region of the village of Labouzy, south-east of Baranovitchi, there was artillery fire and encounters between outposts. An enemy party, composed of between 50 and 60 men, attempted to attack us last night near Bereznore, 12 versts north-east of Lake Vygonovskoie, which was repulsed by our fire.

In the region of Sloniovka, on the River Boldurdvka, there was fighting for the possession of Fords. Our troops made progress at several points.

According to supplementary reports, the total number of prisoners captured in the fighting on the 25th amounts to 128 officers, 6,250 men, with five guns and 21 machine guns.

On the Caucasus front our troops continue to pursue the retreating Turkish Army. At Erzingan we captured a depôt of war material.

ENEMY REPORTS.

Yesterday's Berlin *communiqué*:—

Yesterday evening the Russians unsuccessfully attacked our positions on Czsara north-west of Jagowicze. They were also bloodily repulsed west of Bereczeszko. Apart from outpost skirmishes on Komaica, east of Wicsy, in which the enemy suffered considerable loss, there were no further events to record.

Yesterday's Vienna *communiqué*:—

West of Berestetcko a Russian night attack was repulsed. Repeated severe enemy attacks yesterday afternoon between Radzrvilloff and the Styr collapsed with very heavy loss. On both sides of the Lecznioff road the Russians continued their efforts both day and night. They were repulsed after bitter fighting, leaving 1,000 prisoners in our hands. North of Prisson Ridge our troops advanced, and crossed the Czarkyczeremosz. Some detachments reached the opposite heights, where they repulsed enemy counter-attacks.

[The Czarkyczeremosz is a river in the Carpathians to the west of Bukovina, and on the road to Marmaros Sziget.]

THE ROAD TO LEMBERG.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.)
PARIS, WEDNESDAY.

A Petrograd telegram says that the Russians, according to the latest reports, are ten miles from Brody, and are threatening with envelopment the enemy armies operating in that region, and rendering the position of the enemy's forces in the direction of Lemberg definitely untenable.

STORY OF HOW POZIERES WAS CAPTURED.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.)
PARIS, THURSDAY.

A correspondent of the *Liberte* in Northern France gives some interesting details on the capture of Pozières. By definitely occupying the village, he says, the British have achieved a very great success. A significant fact which I obtained from a Staff officer was that two hundred machine guns defended the approaches to the village. Most of them were destroyed by the bombardment, and their remains lie beneath a shapeless mass of *debris*, which is all that is left of Pozières. About thirty, however, were captured by the British during the various offensive operations. In addition a number of mine throwers and other trench artillery fell into our Allies' hands.

The desperate character of the fighting at Pozières is borne out by stories told by wounded. In one case a German company was surrounded in a little fort built up in the middle of the village, and held out for twelve hours against the British assaults. When after further artillery preparation, the British took it they found in it four men alive, and, lying huddled behind an armoured shelter, sixty dead.

The village of Pozières was of course totally destroyed. The very stones have disappeared, and the place where the village stood cannot be be distinguished from the surrounding fields. At every step one comes upon holes six to eight metres deep, from which awful stench arises testifying to presence of dead bodies. The assault which took the village was carried out with extraordinary gallantry by Australian troops, covered to the westward by London men, who joined hands with them north of the village, not far from the cemetery standing on the edge of the plateau which dominates the plain of Bapaume. A Bavarian battalion was holding out in the north-eastern part of the village, and at a certain moment the Commanding Officer, realising the danger threatening the garrison decided to retire. In order to fall back the men had to cover a distance of three hundred metres separating the village from the cemetery. As soon as the Bavarian infantrymen came out into the open they were swept by the terribly effective fire of British batteries and literally decimated. Most of the survivors were taken prisoners.

MR. GINNELL SUSPENDED.

UNFOUNDED CHARGES.

SCENE IN THE COMMONS.

In the House of Commons yesterday afternoon,

Mr. GINNELL asked the Prime Minister whether the military authorities in Ireland, at the time of the insurrection, had Government sanction, either in advance or subsequently, for bombarding the headquarters of the Cumann-na-mBan nurses, cutting the Red Crosses off their dresses, and imprisoning them as criminals, and what had been the result to Colonel Portal of his special activity in this matter.

Mr. FORSTER—There is no truth in the insinuation contained in this question. The question of Government sanction, therefore, does not arise. The headquarters of Cumann-na-mBan were not bombarded. The Cumann-na-mBan was not a Red Cross institution. Many of the women carried firearms, and some of them were known to have used them.

Mr. GINNELL—In view of the hon. gentleman's insolent answer——(loud cries of "Order" and "Withdraw.")

The SPEAKER said he had not heard the word the hon. member used.

Mr. GINNELL then repeated it, amid loud cries of "Withdraw."

The SPEAKER rose, but Mr. Ginnell remained standing.

The SPEAKER—The hon. member must conform to the usual rules of the House. That is not the proper way to address a Minister.

Mr. GINNELL—I ask whether Colonel Portal denies the allegation in the question?

The SPEAKER—I must ask the hon. member to put the next question on the paper.

Mr. GINNELL—Does Colonel Portal deny the allegation in this question?

The SPEAKER asked the hon. member to put the next question.

Mr. GINNELL—I asked whether Colonel Portal denies that he ordered these men to cut the Red Cross off the dresses of these nurses, and that the men carried out the orders? (Cries of "Order," and "Name him.")

The SPEAKER—If the hon. member cannot behave himself properly I shall ask him to withdraw.

Mr. GINNELL—I am behaving myself.

The SPEAKER—Then I shall not call upon him to put any further questions. (Cheers.)

Mr. GINNELL—I beg to ask Question 47. (Cries of "Sit down.")

The SPEAKER—I have already informed the hon. member that, as he cannot comply with the ordinary custom of the House, I shall not call upon him to ask any further questions.

Mr. GINNELL—Under what Standing Order am I refused the right to put questions on the Order Paper?

The SPEAKER—Under the Standing Order dealing with disorderly conduct.

Mr. GINNELL—Is it disorderly conduct to ask a question on the paper and defend the truth of it?

The SPEAKER—I have already pointed out that the hon. member's language is disorderly, and that his conduct in insisting on speaking when I am on my legs is disorderly.

Mr. GINNELL—Is it disorderly to maintain the truth of a question on the paper?

The SPEAKER—It is disorderly to use the language the hon. member has been using, and to conduct himself in the way he has been conducting himself. (Cheers.)

Mr. GINNELL—So you rule that it is disorderly to maintain the truth of a question on the paper?

The SPEAKER—I have already dealt with that.

Mr. GINNELL—Mr. Speaker, I ask Question 47.

The SPEAKER—If the hon. member persists in interrupting the proceedings, I shall have to call upon him to withdraw.

Mr. GINNELL—You are violating the rules. (Cries of "Sit down" and "Name him.")

The SPEAKER—I call on the hon. member to withdraw. (Cheers.)

Mr. GINNELL remained sitting.

The SPEAKER—Does the hon. member propose to withdraw?

Mr. GINNELL—I follow the paper in my hand.

The SPEAKER—I have to call the attention of the House to the fact that the hon. member for North Westmeath, having been called upon to withdraw, declines to withdraw. I must name him to the House. (Cheers.)

Mr. ASQUITH, who was received with loud cheers—Mr. Speaker, having named the hon. member, I move that he be suspended from the service of the House. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. GINNELL—For how long?

The SPEAKER—The question is that the hon. member for North Westmeath be suspended from the service of the House.

The question was then put, and there were loud cries of "Aye." Mr. Ginnell being the only member who responded "No." (Loud laughter.)

The SPEAKER—I must ask the hon. member to withdraw.

Mr. GINNELL—I ask Question 47.

The SPEAKER repeated his request, but Mr. Ginnell remained seated with folded arms.

The SPEAKER then said—I call on the Serjeant-at-Arms to remove the hon. member for disobedience to the Orders of the House.

The Serjeant-at-Arms approached Mr. Ginnell, and, after speaking to him, returned to the Speaker, and said that the hon. member refused to obey the order of the House.

The SPEAKER—Then I shall suspend the sitting until such time as the hon. member withdraws.

The SPEAKER then left the chair, and the Serjeant-at-Arms removed the Mace.

Mr. GINNELL still remained seated, while a group of members gathered round him, evidently remonstrating with him and advising him to leave the House.

A few minutes afterwards the Serjeant-at-Arms, with four attendants, again approached Mr. Ginnell, but he remained obdurate.

Shortly afterwards, however, on the advice of a number of hon. gentlemen, the hon. member withdrew, a slight cheer greeting his decision.

The sitting of the House was then resumed.

EFFECT OF THE SUSPENSION.

The motion suspending Mr. Ginnell from the service of the House of Commons remains in force until expressly rescinded by a vote of the House, following, it may be presumed, an apology by Mr. Ginnell, or until the end of the Session.

After leaving the Debating Chamber, Mr. Ginnell asked if he would be allowed still to make use of the Library and was obviously disappointed on learning that the Order of Exclusion applied to the whole precincts of the Palace of Westminster.

There is general appreciation of the tactful manner in which the incident was dealt with both by the Speaker and the Sergeant-at-Arms, an even more unpleasant scene being thus avoided.

MR. GINNELL'S PASSPORT.

In the House of Commons yesterday,

Mr. GINNELL asked the Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs if he would explain the delay in issuing a passport, for which he had applied, to enable him to visit certain countries for the purpose of studying peat industries.

Lord ROBERT CECIL said that the issue of the passport had been delayed in view of the proceedings against Mr. Ginnell.

Mr. GINNELL asked whether the passport would be issued after the proceedings had terminated.

Lord ROBERT CECIL—It depends upon the result of the proceedings. (Laughter.)

CASEMENT CASE.

NEW APPLICATION POSSIBLE TO-DAY.

In the King's Bench, London, yesterday, Mr. Justice Darling, addressing the Attorney-General (Sir Frederick Smith), said he understood that the Attorney-General was present in connection with Casement, who was convicted the other day. He had expected to be able to make a statement to the Attorney-General, but, in consequence of a letter he had received that moment from those representing the convict, it was necessary for him to consult the only other two judges sitting who heard the appeal with him. He wanted to communicate at once with them. He had sent for the other judges to see him in the judges' room, and he would come back into court and mention the matter to the Attorney-General at once.

His lordship then left the bench.

When Mr. Justice Darling, accompanied by Mr. Justice Bray and Mr. Justice Scrutton, returned, he said that, as they were within a short time of the end of the term, and it was necessary that, if this application were to be made, the Court should be constituted as it was on the hearing of the appeal, he was arranging that the Court should sit to-morrow at 10.15. He had since heard, but not officially, that it was very improbable that any application would be made to the Court on behalf of the convict, but it seemed to be uncertain, and he could not allow uncertainty in a matter of that kind. If an application were to be made he was determined that full opportunity to make it should be presented to those who represent Casement.

ROLL OF HONOUR

LAST NIGHT'S LISTS.

Last night's casualty lists contain the following casualties:—Officers—Dead, 149; wounded and missing, 100. Men—Dead, 272; wounded and missing, 1,840.

The following casualties are reported under various dates:—

OFFICERS KILLED.

ALEXANDER, Sec. Lt. N. L., Yorkshire L.I.
BLACKBURN, Capt. G. G., West Yorks Regt.
BRUNT, Sec. Lt. W. E., Manchester Regt.
BURLURAUX, Sec. Lt. J. R. C., Northumberland Fus.
BURNS, Sec. Lt. W. B., Worcesters.
COCKCROFT, Sec. Lt. A. C., Yorkshire L.I.
COWIN, Sec. Lt. H. H., Manchester Regt.
CRUICKSHANK, Capt. P., Inniskilling Fus.
CUNLIFFE, Maj. Sir F. H. E., Bart., Rifle Brig.
DAWSON, Lt. G. M., Liverpool Regt.
DAY, Sec. Lt. H., North Lancs. Regt.
EMBERTON, Sec. Lt. P. H., South Staffords.
EMERSON, Sec. Lt. H. T., North Lancashires.
EVERED, Sec. Lt. H. R. H., Northumberland Fus.
FALKONS, Capt. R., Northumberland Fus.
FOUNTAIN, Sec. Lt. J. A. A., Yorkshire L.I.
GRIMSHAW, Sec. Lt. G. H., North Lancashires.
GREENLESS, Sec. Lt. C. F., West Surreys (attached R.D.F.).
HALL, Sec. Lt. P. G., Northumberland Fus.
HARPLEY, Sec. Lt. R. A., Yorkshire L.I.
HEAD, Capt. L. D., Yorkshire L.I.
HENRY, Capt. J. A., Royal Scots.
HIGGINS, Maj. G. F., Liverpool Regt.
HOWLETT, Sec. Lt. C. W., Yorkshire L.I.
HUDDLESTON, Sec. Lt. M. L., Durham L.I.
LATIMER, Sec. Lt. F., Manchester Regt.
M'CONNELL, Lt. W. C., Royal Irish Rifles.
MACK, Lt. I. A., Trench Mortar Battery.
METCALFE, Maj. J. C., Cheshire Regt.
MORSE, Lt. E. F., Machine Gun Corps.
PARKINSON, Sec. Lt. J. H., Lincoln Regt.
PEARSON, Sec. Lt. A. J. W., Royal Fus. (attached R.D.F.).
PELLY, Capt. W. F. H., Inniskilling Fus.
PRINGLE, Sec. Lt. C. E., North Lancashires.
RATCLIFFE, Lt. A. V., West Yorkshires.
ROSS, Capt. P., Royal Scots.
SALMON, Sec. Lt. B. B., Manchester Regt.
SHARP, Sec. Lt. L. F., Yorkshire L.I.
SOULSBY, Sec. Lt. H. S., K.O.S.B.
WATSON, Sec. Lt. S. T., Durham L.I.

Officers previously reported wounded, now reported killed:—

BADDELEY, Sec. Lt. J. F., The Buffs.
BIBLE, Sec. Lt. G. R., Sussex Regt.
EASON, Lt. R. P., Lincoln Regt.
FOLEY, Capt. J., Northumberland Fus.
HYNAM, Sec. Lt. W. W., Northumberland Fus.
M'GAIN, Sec. Lt. A. W., Suffolk Regt.
M'GILLICUDDY, Lt. J., Northumberland Fus.
MACKENZIE, Capt. K., Northumberland Fus.
MARSHALL, Lt. J. W., Northumberland Fus.
MULLALLY, Capt. B. D., Northumberland Fus.
NICHOLSON, Lt. T. E., Northumberland Fus.
PARKER, Lt. J., Northumberland Fus.
SCOTT-HOLMES, Sec. Lt. H. F., R.E.

Officer previously reported wounded and missing, now reported killed:—

CAMPBELL, Sec. Lt. R. A. R., West Yorks.

Officers previously reported missing, believed killed, now reported killed:—

BOLTON, Capt. H. A., Northumberland Fusiliers.
BRAMBLE, Sec. Lt. G. H. T., Hampshire Regt.
CUBEY, Capt. J. B., Northumberland Fusiliers.
DONALDSON, Sec. Lt. J., Northumberland Fus.
JONES, Sec. Lt. G. A. St. J., Middlesex Regt.
MACDONALD, Lt. S., Northumberland Fusiliers.
NORBURY, Lt. P. G., Buffs.
SHAW, Capt. A. J. M., K.O.S.B.
SIMPSON, Lt. T., Northumberland Fusiliers.
TUCKER, Sec. Lt. L. L. C., Northumberland Fus.

Officers previously reported missing, believed wounded, now reported killed:—

FORSTER, Capt. J. P., Northumberland Fusiliers.
LAING, Capt. D. O., Northumberland Fusiliers.

Officers previously reported missing, now reported killed:—

HICKMAN, Sec. Lt. W. C., R.F.A.
HOOTON, Lt. E. C., Warwickshire Regt.
ROSS, Lt. G. N., Northumberland Fusiliers.

OFFICERS DIED OF WOUNDS.

BECKETT, Major V. L. S., Yorkshire Regt.
BLOIS, Lt.-Col. D., D.S.O., R.F.A.
BREMNER, Sec. Lt. D., Border Regt.
BROWNE, Sec. Lt. W. L., Yorkshire L.I.
COOPER, Sec. Lt. A., Manchester Regt.
COTTON, Sec. Lt. J., R.F.A.
CROSSE, Lt. R. G., West Kent Regt.
DAVIDSON, Lt. G. L., Dorset Regt.
ELLICOTT, Sec. Lt. F. A. L., K.O.S.B.
FAGAN, Sec. Lt. N., Rifle Brigade.
FISHER, Capt. J. W., D.S.O., Sherwood Foresters.
FITZGERALD, Lt.-Col. A. E., East Surrey Regt.
FLOWER, Lt.-Col. O. S., Welsh Fusiliers.
FREEMAN, Sec. Lt. F. J., West Yorkshire Regt.
GOODALL, Capt. M. H., York and Lancaster Regt.
GROVE, Sec. Lt. P. A., Warwick Regt.
GRUBY, Sec. Lt. T. W., Border Regt.
GUILLAND, Capt. J. H., Essex Regt.
HASELDEN, Capt. E. A., West Yorkshire Regt.
HAVILAND, Sec. Lt. J. D., Royal Fusiliers.
HAWKER, Sec. Lt. F. J., Gloucester Regt.
HERMON-HODGE, Capt. G. G., R.F.A.
HIGGINS, Sec. Lt. G. C., West Yorkshire Regt.
HODDING, Sec. Lt. J. D., Royal Fusiliers.
HOGGETT, Sec. Lt. F. R., West Surrey Regt.
HUNTER, Sec. Lt. J. W., Northampton Regt.
JACOB, Lt. H. A., Royal Fusiliers.
JAYE, Sec. Lt. H. C., West Yorkshire Regt.
JENNINGS, Lt. R. W., Worcester Regt.
JOHNSON, Sec. Lt. H., Machine Gun Corps.
LAKE, Sec. Lt. W. M., R.G.A.
LEWIS, Sec. Lt. J. W., Devonshire Regt.
M'INTOSH, Lt. W., Northumberland Fusiliers.
MACNAMARA, Lt.-Col. C. C., Royal Irish Rifles.
MAGGS, Sec. Lt. G. E., Berkshire Regt.
MALCOLM, Capt. R. J., Royal Scots.
MIDGLEY, Sec. Lt. A., Machine Gun Corps.
MILBOURNE, Lt. L., North Lancashire Regt.
NELSON, Lt. W. H. V., Sherwood Foresters.
NEVILLE, Capt. C., Sherwood Foresters.
NOTT, Sec. Lt. E. R., Yorkshire L.I.
PEGG, Sec. Lt. H. W., East Surrey Regt.
RAWLINSON, Sec. Lt. G. M., Ox. and Bucks L.I.
REID, Sec. Lt. R. R., Royal Engineers.
RHODES, Sec. Lt. J. K. R., Border Regt.
ROYLE, Capt. F. W., Manchester Regt.
RUSSELL, Lt. H. B., Essex Regt.
SCOTT, Lt. D. H., Liverpool Regt.
SHEARMAN, Capt. H. H., Lincoln Regt.
STRAKER, Sec. Lt. C. C. L., Monmouth Regt.
VICK, Lt. D. B., R.F.A.
WADDINGTON, Sec. Lt. J. H., Welsh Regt.
WALSH, Lt. F., North Lancashire Regt.
WALLIS, Sec. Lt. B., Rifle Brigade.
WEBBER, Sec. Lt. L. A., Devonshire Regt.
WHARTON, Sec. Lt. S. A., Norfolk Regt.
WHEATCROFT, Lt. R. D., Sherwood Foresters.
WILCHER, Sec. Lt. H., Yorkshire L.I.
WILLIAMS, Sec. Lt. D., Yorkshire L.I.
WILLIAMS, Major F. T., Northampton Regt.
WILSON, Lt. W. R., F.R.C.S.I., R.A.M.C.
WILTSHIRE, Sec. Lt. C. R., Yeomanry.
WOOD, Sec. Lt. T. T., Yorkshire Regt.
WRAGG, Lt. N. J., South Stafford Regt.

OFFICERS DIED.

BUTLER, Lt. G. K. M., Yeomanry.
DYER, Capt. C. N., Hon. Artillery Co.
GREER, Lt. and Adjt. D. A., Connaught Rangers.
HORSLEY, Col. Sir V. A. H., C.B., R.A.M.C.
MacLACHLAN, Sec. Lt. W. M., Highland L.I.

OFFICERS WOUNDED.

ADAMS, Sec. Lt. J., Manchester Regt.
ALLAN, Sec. Lt. J., Black Watch.
BARRETT, Sec. Lt. A. H. S., Welsh Fusiliers.
BEDDOWS, Sec. Lt. W. A., Welsh Regt.
BENNETT, Sec. Lt. W. T., Ryl. Fusiliers.
BOWLY, Lt. R. W., Manchester Regt.
BROWNLIE, Sec. Lt. J. K., Border Regt.
CLARK, Sec. Lt. W. H., Dorset Regt.
CREASEY, Sec. Lt. G. M., Norfolk Regt.
DORMAN, Sec. Lt. D., York and Lancaster Regt.
DUFFY, Sec. Lt. A. N., North Stafford Regt.
ELSE, Lt. S. C., York and Lancaster Regt.
ENGLISH, Sec. Lt. C. G., East Yorkshire Regt.
GIBSON, Lt. J. E., Royal Irish Fusiliers.
GOWRING, Lt. J. S., Wiltshire Regt.
GRANT, Capt. I. C., Cameron Highlanders.
HARDING, Major J. G., South Lancs Regt.
HARDMAN, Sec. Lt. A., Yorkshire L.I.
HEDGES, Sec. Lt. N. H., York and Lancasters.
HENRY, Capt. W. J., M.B., R.A.M.C.
HUNTER, Sec. Lt. C. J., North Staffords.
JACK, Sec. Lt. A. L., Yorkshire L.I.
KING, Sec. Lt. H. F., Leicester Regt.
MAYNARD, Lt. L. R. B., Lancaster Regt.
MICHAELIS, Sec. Lt. R., Liverpool Regt.
MILLIGAN, Sec. Lt. H. C., Machine Gun Corps.
MITCHELL, Sec. Lt. J. R., Royal Scots.
MOFFATT, Sec. Lt. N. J. D., West Surrey Regt.
MORRIS-EYTON, Lt. R. E., R.F.A.
NANKIVELL, Capt. A. T., M.D., R.A.M.C.
NEWTON, Lt. H. A., Northumberland Fusiliers.
NIVIN, Lt. E. F., R.A.M.C.
PEARSON, Sec. Lt. G. J., Lincoln Regt.
SAWREY-COOKSON, Sec. Lt. G. R., Gordon H.
SHIELDS, Sec. Lt. E. B., Durham L.I.
SIMPSON, Sec. Lt. E. G., Yorkshire L.I.
SMITH, Lt. E. M., Royal Irish Fusiliers.
STEVENSON, Sec. Lt. J. G. P., Royal Scots.
STOKES, Lt. R. A., Yorkshire L.I.
THOMPSON, Sec. Lt. W. A., East Lancs Regt.
THWAYTES, Lt. T., Yorkshire L.I.
WALDRON, Sec. Lt. B. C. A., Durham L.I.
WEBB, Sec. Lt. A. T., Somerset L.I.
WILKINSON, Capt. C. H., Cheshire Regt.

Officer previously reported missing, believed killed, now reported wounded:—

CONNOLLY, Sec. Lt. T. P., Northumberland Fus.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported wounded:—

WOOD, Sec. Lt. J. L., Yorkshire L.I.

Officers previously reported wounded, now reported not wounded:—

BRUCE, Sec. Lt. J., Ryl. Scots.
HENDIN, Sec. Lt. H. P., Lincolnshire Regt.

OFFICERS WOUNDED AND MISSING.

CARTER, Sec. Lt. S. R. E., Yorkshire L.I.
HERMISTON, Lt. F., Yorkshire Regt.
ROBERTSON, Sec. Lt. C. W., Manchester Regt.
TYLER, Capt. C. G., Bedfordshire Regt.
WILLIAMSON, Capt. W. M., Yorkshire L.I.

Officers previously reported wounded, now reported wounded and missing:—

CLARK, Sec. Lt. C. A., Rifle Brigade.
STOCKS, Major H. L., Royal Scots.

Officer previously reported missing, believed killed, now reported wounded and missing:—

DE COLOGAN, Capt. A. T. B., London Regt.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported wounded and missing:—

HARVEY, Sec. Lt. W. M., Welsh Regt.

OFFICERS MISSING, BELIEVED KILLED.

ARGLE, Sec. Lt. N. A., Northumberland Fus.
BINNS, Sec. Lt. C. S., Northumberland Fus.
COLEMAN, Sec. Lt. A., Northumberland Fus.
EDWARDES, Major G. D'A., Dragoons.
GRAHAM, Capt. P. G., Northumberland Fus.
HEAD, Lt. A. R., Northumberland Fus.
JARMAN, Sec. Lt. A. H., Northumberland Fus.
VENUS, Sec. Lt. F. A., Northumberland Fus.
YOUNG, Capt. A. C., Northumberland Fus.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported missing, believed killed:—

CLODE-BAKER, Lt. G. E., London Regt.

OFFICERS MISSING.

BOWEN, Lt. F. M. S., West Kent Regt.
CUSHEN, Sec. Lt. A. C., Sussex Regt.
FOX, Sec. Lt. L. H., Bedford Regt.
HALES, Capt. A. H., Wilts Regt.
PAUL, Sec. Lt. T. G., Northumberland Fus.
RETTIE, Sec. Lt. W. P., Border Regt.
STARKY, Sec. Lt. J. B., Wilts Regt.

Officers previously reported wounded, now reported missing:—

BERRY, Capt. J. H., Royal Irish Rifles.
DARLEY, Sec. Lt. D. J., Suffolk Regt.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported wounded and a prisoner of war:—

PARRISH, Lt. F. W., K.R.R. Corps.

Officer previously reported wounded, now reported a prisoner of war:—

FIELD, Capt. G. C., Warwick Regt.

OFFICER A PRISONER OF WAR.

WATSON, Sec. Lt. F. H. E., Norfolk Regt.

CORRECTIONS.

OFFICERS KILLED.

DAVY, Lt. and Adjt. W. E., Cheshire Regt., should read—DAVY, Capt. and Adjt. W. E., Cheshire Regt.

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SPECIAL EXTRA.

GREAT RUSSIAN CAPTURES.

34,000 PRISONERS IN NINE DAYS.

Last night's Petrograd *communiqué*:—

Western Front—In the course of the fighting between July 16th and 25th the gallant troops of General Sakharoff took prisoners more than 34,000 German and Austrian officers and soldiers, and captured 45 guns and 71 machine guns.

Caucasian Front—We have established that in the depot at Sapker, 20 versts north of Erzingan, we captured about 5,000 hand-grenades, more than 1,000 shells, and 600 carts (query cases) of cartridges. At Hastahan we captured an hospital of 800 beds.

At Erzingan we captured a depot of rifles, revolvers, bayonets, artillery munitions, and petroleum and petrol, weighing 18 tons. The town of Erzingan has not suffered.

THE IRISH AGREEMENT.

Commenting on the publication to-day of the "Headings of a Settlement as to the Government of Ireland," the *Daily Chronicle* considers it is something to the good that this vindication of Mr. Redmond and Sir Edward Carson is given to the world by the defaulters themselves. In fact, notwithstanding all that has come and gone in these last few months, the Irish problem is being discussed with a rare candour, in which policies worthy of great peoples may be set in operation. We earnestly hope that Parliament will not lose sight of the possible issue from the present deadlock suggested in those columns on Wednesday—namely, a Coalition Government in Dublin within the limits of the Lloyd George settlement, by which the interests of non-Home Rule Irishmen would be additionally safeguarded. We are confronted with one of the golden opportunities of time and chance, and if we make no effort to improve it we shall fall disastrously short of the standards of our own history.

A CURIOUS DOCUMENT.

The Political Correspondent of the *Morning Post* discusses the White Paper dealing with the Irish "settlement," and says:—It is odd that there is nothing in the document which explains what it was issued for, or whether it was submitted to anybody. It might have dropped from the clouds, so marked is the absence of any note to tell why or by whom it was drawn up, or to whom it was shown. There is nothing from beginning to end about its "provisional and temporary" or its "permanent and definite" nature. By inference the exclusion of the six counties comes to an end with the life of the proposed bill—which it what Mr. Redmond contended. There is consequently nothing in it to bear out Sir Edward Carson's argument, supported as it was by Mr. Asquith, that the re-inclusion of the six counties can only be brought about by another Act of Parliament, because Clause 14 by no means asserts that the "further and permanent provision" is to be framed on the assumption that Ulster is not to be "coerced." Another thing that is clear is that the Cabinet added to the terms the provision that if a dissolution should intervene before the "further and permanent provision," the full representation of Ireland at Westminster should not continue for all purposes. This was the second of Mr. Redmond's complaints. It seems obvious that these printed "heads" do not contain the full story of the negotiations, and that some verbal assurances must have been given before Sir Edward Carson's assent was obtained.

A MISCHIEVOUS DELUSION.

In a leading article dealing with the Irish deadlock, the *Daily Telegraph* says—What is most to be feared is that the Nationalist party should encourage among their supporters in Ireland the idea that they have got rid of the necessity of an Amending Bill to the Government of Ireland Act. No more mischievous delusion can be spread in Ireland than that an Amending Bill is no longer necessary, or that the Irish Nationalists are "masters of the situation."

NO NATIONAL COUNCIL.

The projected settlement having broken down, the Cabinet have now to make provision for the government of Ireland until the war is over. I understand, says the Parliamentary correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle*, that the Nationalists will have no part or lot in any project for a nominated National Council to advise the Irish Executive. So far as the Nationalist members are concerned, the Coalition will be left in Ireland to stew in its own juice.

POSSIBLE NEW CHIEF SECRETARY.

The Lobby Correspondent of the *Daily News* writes that the general expectation now is that the Government will appoint another Chief Secretary for Ireland, and by implication another Viceroy. Some are advocating an adaptation of Sir Horace Plunkett's plan for a Coalition Council of Irishmen to be responsible for Irish administration during the war, but it does not seem at the moment very feasible. In this connection it is of considerable interest to put on record that it is understood that it was the Prime Minister's wish, after his visit to Dublin, following the *Sinn Fein* rebellion, that Lord Kitchener should then have been appointed Viceroy of Ireland. It is stated that objections were raised in several quarters to this, whereupon the proposal was not carried through.

DIVIDENDS.

GREAT CENTRAL RAILWAY.—Interest for the half-year on all Pref. Stocks down to and including the 4 per cent. Pref. Stock.

NEW SHARLESTON COLLIERIES.—Interim of 1¼ per cent. (5/- per share).

JONES'S SEWING MACHINE.—8 per cent. for the half-year on Ord.

UNITED ALKALI.—Interim dividend at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on Pref. and of 1/- per share on Ord.

COURTAULDS.—Interim of 12½ per cent.

BRISTOL AND SOUTH WALES RAILWAY WAGGON.—Interim of 3/- per share.

ANTON JURGENS UNITED (MARGARINE) WORKS.—Dividend for the half-year on the 6 per cent. Cumulative Participating "B" Pref. Shares at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum.

EAST INDIAN COAL.—8 per cent. for the half-year.

GAS LIGHT AND COKE.—Dividend on Ord. at the rate of £4 4/- per cent. per annum.

BRITISH MOTOR CAB.—Dividend of 2½ per cent., or 2/- per share, amounting to a net dividend of 1/8.25 per share on the Pref. Ord.

MARTIN'S BANK.—6 per cent. per annum.

SCOTTISH PACIFIC MORTGAGE.—5 per cent. for the past year.

L. P. JOHANNESSEN.—12½ per cent.

MANCHESTER HIPPODROME AND ARDWICK EMPIRE.—Final at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

RACING SELECTIONS.

WINDSOR MEETING.

(FROM THE SPORTSMAN OF TO-DAY.)

College Plate—Gold Rose or Cherokee.
Village Handicap—Royal Bucks.
Royal Borough Handicap—Blackadder or Dark Sapphire.
Bridge Plate—Queen's Lancer.
Forest Handicap—Polygram.
Clewer Plate—Arco.

(FROM THE SPORTING LIFE OF TO-DAY.)

College Plate—Cherokee.
Village Handicap—Ravello.
Royal Borough Handicap—Blackadder.
Bridge Plate—Queen's Lancer.
Forest Handicap—Foolish Fancy.
Clewer Plate—Arco.

ARTILLERY FIGHTING ON ITALIAN FRONT.

Yesterday's Italian *communiqué*:—

Yesterday, in several sections of the front, the enemy's artillery was particularly active against towns and villages, the Asiago Basin, the upper valleys of the Boite and Degano, and some places on the Lower Isonzo being bombarded. The damage, however, was slight, and only a few victims are reported.

In the Varsa and at the head of Posina Valley, on the night of the 25th, the enemy attempted to attack our position on the right bank on the Leno torrent, and on the slopes of Corno del Coston. On the Tonezza Plateau the enemy is stubbornly resisting our advance in strongly entrenched positions among the woods to the north of Mount Cimon. Yesterday, however, we succeeded in making some progress. In the Trivignolo Valley enemy artillery was active against our new positions. On the remainder of the front the situation is unchanged.

OPERATIONS AT BUSHIRE.

Last night's *London Gazette* contains a despatch from General Sir John Nixon, K.C.B., regarding operations at Bushire between July and September, 1915. The despatch deals with the occupation of Bushire, which took place on 8th August without opposition. The fort at Dilwar was also destroyed. The despatch also describes operations at Mashileh, near Bushire, where Tangistanis raiding parties attempted to break through the outposts. These operations were in charge of Brigadier-General Brooking, who, the despatch says, dealt with an awkward situation in a most capable manner.

PARLIAMENT.

MESOPOTAMIA AND THE DARDANELLES.

THE COMMISSIONS OF INQUIRY.

INTERIM REPORTS TO BE SUPPLIED.

BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

In the House of Lords yesterday it was stated, in reply to questions, that there was reason to believe that some improvement had taken place in the treatment of prisoners at certain camps in Germany, concerning which complaints had previously been made.

In the House of Commons the Consolidated Fund (No. 4) Bill passed through Committee.

Afterwards, in Committee on the bill appointing commissions to investigate the charges in regard to the campaigns in the Dardanelles and Mesopotamia, Mr. Chamberlain announced that the Government had decided to accept an amendment by Mr. Dillon requiring the commissioners to make an interim report within two months on medical matters and the provision for the sick and wounded in Mesopotamia.

The House rejected a new clause, moved by Mr. Hazleton, empowering the commissioners to suspend from duties, pending the result of inquiries, any naval, military, or civil officer against whom a charge concerning the conduct of the operations had been made.

The bill, as amended, passed through Committee.

HOUSE OF LORDS—Thursday.

The LORD CHANCELLOR took his seat on the Woolsack at a quarter past four o'clock.

The Larceny Bill, and the Registration of Firms Bill passed through Committee.

BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

Lord BERESFORD asked for information as to the treatment of British prisoners in the internment camp at Gustrow, Germany, and whether the German Government had given an answer to the demand of Viscount Grey for a reply to be sent within a week as to the better treatment of British prisoners in Germany. The noble lord expressed the view that the camp at Gustrow was the very worst camp in Germany, and said that the sentries had been instructed to keep the prisoners hard at work, and that they were not to hesitate to use the bayonet or even shoot should they deem it necessary.

Lord DEVONPORT referred to the condition of affairs at the civilian camp at Ruhleben, and said he was sorry to see that a speech by Lord Robert Cecil lent some colour to the view that the Government were contemplating reprisals. He hoped this was not so, because in this matter we were dealing with barbarians, and not with a civilised nation, and the Germans would stop at nothing in the ill-treatment of their prisoners, if we only gave them half an opportunity.

Lord NEWTON replied that with regard to the Gustrow Camp there was no doubt in the early days of the war the condition of things was very bad, but reports from the American Embassy indicated that there had been considerable improvement in the camp. A report dated January, of this year, spoke of theatres and a circulating library, and the men appeared to be well treated. As to the allegations of bayonetting, although no doubt there had been a degree of brutality, they had been unable to acertain that there had been any actual bayonetting. As to Ruhleben, he was unable to add much to the information already in possession of the House. It was certain that absolutely deplorable conditions prevailed, and the civilian prisoners interned there were more to be pitied than any other of the unfortunate prisoners in Germany at the present moment. He agreed with Lord Devonport in regard to the general principle of retaliation, but at the same time he could not help expressing his view that it would be an extremely rash proceeding for the Government to announce to the whole world that under no circumstances would they resort to any means of exercising pressure upon the German Government. It seemed to him that there were means of exercising pressure which would not necessitate cruelty towards any individual interned in this country. On the question of exchange, he did not wish to be unduly optimistic, but he hoped that before long an agreement would be arrived at for the exchange of older men, over 45 years of age, who most deserved their sympathy under present circumstances.

POSITION OF RUSSIAN SUBJECTS.

Lord SHEFFIELD asked whether by the powers contained in the Aliens Restriction Consolidation Order, or otherwise, any pressure had been put upon Russian subjects in this country to return to Russia, and whether the policy of the Government was to present to refugees here the alternative of deportation to their own country, or military service in the British Army. He asked that in the event of the Government abandoning the policy of asylum for political refugees, which had long been the settled practice of this country, persons whom the British Government desired to expel should, at any rate, be left a free choice among the countries that did not close their doors to political refugees.

Lord SANDHURST, in reply, said it was not the case that any pressure has been put, through the police, on Russian subjects to return to Russia. There had been a few cases in which it had been found necessary to expel a certain number of Russian criminals and men of bad character from this country, but there had been no pressure on Russians of good character living in this country to leave. Alien friends were not required by the British Government to leave this country, and there was no occasion for any

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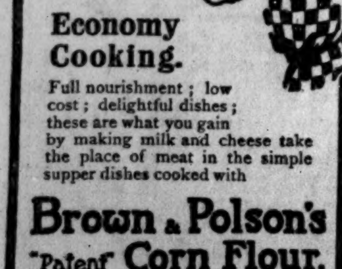
No. 3/11054 Sgt.-Maj. F. Fulcher, 6th Bn. North'n R.
No. 6197 Sgt. Maj. J. Furey, 2nd Bn. Rif. Brig.
No. 8541 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. T. D. Gage, 1st Bn. Norf. R.
No. 63395 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. G. E. Geary, 4th Can. Bn.
No. 956 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. R. Gordon, 23rd Bn. Aus. Imp. Force.
No. 8859 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. H. D. Grant, 1st attd., 10th Bn. Sco. Rif.
No. 1922 Sgt.-Maj. A. Gray, 3rd Bn. C. Gds.
No. 52 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (actg. R. Sgt.-Maj.) J. Grice, 14th Bn. York. L. I., T.F.
No. 5/14862 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. F. Haberfield, 5th Bn. S. Wales Bord. (Spec. Res.).
No. G8/4834 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. C. W. Hanks, 8th Bn. E. Surr. R.
No. 6357 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (Actg. R. Sgt.-Maj.) W. H. Harris, 9th Bn. K.R. Rif. C.
No. 9441 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. Harris, 2nd Bn. Arg. and Suth'd. Highrs.
No. 8689 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. Heaps, 15th, formerly 1st, Bn. L'pool R.
No. 29 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. F. Hedges, 1st Bn. Rif. Brig.
No. 10769 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. O. P. Hennessy, 1/5th Bn. L'pool R., T.F.
No. 5163 Sgt.-Maj. A. M. Hill, 3rd Bn. G. Gds.
No. 67863 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. F. W. Hinchcliffe, 25th Can. Bn.
No. 7826 By. Sgt.-Maj. H. Hobbs, 17th Siege By. R.G.A.
No. 37475 Sgt.-Maj. C. J. Houghton, 3rd Bde. Can. Fld. Arty., Divl. Amm. Col. (attd. 1st C.A.S.P.).
No. 6359 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. A. J. Jones, 8th Bn. Glouc. R.
No. 22153 Sgt.-Maj. J. R. Jones, 15th Bn. R.W. Fus.
No. 7 R. Qr.-Mr.-Sgt. W. J. Jones, 1/7th Bn. Worc. R., T.F.
No. 5472 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (now R. Sgt.-Maj.) P. Kearney, Rif. Brig. P.S., 12th Bn. Lond. R., T.F.
No. R.157 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. H. Killikelly, 10th Bn. K.R. Rif. C.
No. 5456 Sgt.-Maj. J. B. King, 2nd Bn. Devon R.
No. 8449 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. A. W. Lee, 2nd Bn. E. Lan. R.
No. 3/2439 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. P. Long, 9th Bn. Essex R.
No. 14/8320 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. J. Lowry, 14th Bn. R. Ir. Rif.
No. 9845 Actg. R. Sgt.-Maj. J. Macdonald, 2nd Bn. Gord. Highrs.
No. 10483 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. A. McLean, 8/10th Bn. Gord. Highrs.
No. 13891 By. Sgt.-Maj. (Actg. R. Sgt.-Maj.) F. A. Moloney, 3rd Northumbrian Bde. R.F.A. (T.F.) (attd. 252nd Bde.).
No. 3/2939 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. F. Mercer, 10th Bn. Essex R.
No. 5641 Sgt.-Maj. F. Miller, 1st Bn. L'pool R. (attd. 1/9th Bn. T.F.).
No. 8979 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. T. Miller, 2nd Bn. R. Sc. Fus.
No. 5770 Sqdn. Sgt.-Maj. Harold Mills, 5th Dn. Gds.
No. 20087 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. D. Milne, 1st Bn. R. Sc. Fus.
No. 1149 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. G. A. Morris, 3rd Bn. Aus Imp. Force.
No. 7132 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (now 2nd Lt.) F. W. Moss, 2nd Bn. Essex R.
No. 8489 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. S. Mound, 5th Bn. Shrop. L.I.
No. 23111 By. Sgt.-Maj. C. H. A. Murton, 107th By. R.F.A.
No. 107476 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. J. Ogden, 156th Fd. Co. R.E.
No. 6887 R. Qr.-Mr.-Sgt. F. Osborne, 2nd Bn. Bedf. R.
No. 1107 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. G. Osborne, 4th Bn. North'd. Fus., T.F.
No. 3279 By. Sgt.-Maj. G. H. Osborne, 110th Hy. By. R.G.A.
No. 30901 By. Sgt.-Maj. (now 2nd Lt.) W. J. Parker, B/103rd Bde. R.F.A.
No. 8852 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. T. Pennycuick, 2nd Bn. York R.
No. 15264 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. T. Peppin, 6th Bn. Som. L.I.
No. 51884 By. Sgt.-Maj. W. Prestidge, "B" By., 94th Bde., R.F.A.
No. 6170 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. E. W. Ralph, 1st Bn. E. Kent R.
No. 5927 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (Actg. Qr.-Mr.-Sgt.) J. Redmond, 2nd Bn. R. Innis. Fus.
No. L/4061 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. E. Reid, 1st Bn. R.W. Surr. R.
No. 3672 Sgt.-Maj. J. Richardson, 9th Lrs.
No. 5499 Sgt.-Maj. J. Ring, 2nd Bn. Muns. Fus.
No. 21123 By. Sgt.-Maj. (now 2nd Lt.) S. R. Scott, 3rd Siege By. R.G.A.
No. 17877 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. C. Sexton, 25th Bde., Machine Gun Coy.
No. 6545 By. Sgt.-Maj. E. Sidgreaves, 10th Siege By. R.G.A.
No. 8827 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. J. Simmons, 11th Bn. Midd'x. R.
No. M/20875 Mech. Sgt.-Maj. F. Slater, A.S.C. (M.T.).
No. 6058 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (Actg. R. Sgt.-Maj.) A. L. Sloane, 2nd (attd. 6th) Bn. N. Staff. R.
No. 5676 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. A. Smith, 4th Bn. Midd'x. R.
No. 7806 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. G. Smith, 2nd Bn. North'n. R.
No. 12764 Actg. By. Sgt.-Maj. (now 2nd Lt.) J. Spackman, 6th Siege By. R.G.A.
No. 1216 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. Stephenson, 1/8th Bn. R. War. R., T.F.
No. 20278 Sgt.-Maj. D. Stuart, 10th Can. Bn.
No. 9980 Sgt.-Maj. H. Tedder, 1st Bn. K.R. Rif. C.
No. 9234 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (now 2nd Lt.) G. Thorneycroft, 1st Bn. North'd. Fus.
No. 4 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. C. E. Tiffany, 1/5th Bn. W. Rid. R., T.F.
No. 5061 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. R. Toms, 10th Bn. Lan. Fus.
No. 4893 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. C. C. Tough, 2nd Bn. Worc. R.
No. 5012 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. (Actg. R. Sgt.-Maj.) F. J. Trezona, 2nd Bn. Midd'x. R. (attd. 20th Bn. Lond. R., T.F.).
No. 157 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. N. R. Tutton, 6th Bn. Aus. Imp. Force.
No. 4145 Sgt.-Maj. A. J. Tyrell, 8th Bn. Devon R.
No. 4495 By. Sgt.-Maj. J. E. Voisey, 4th Siege By. R.G.A.
No. 22/1653 Sgt.-Maj. J. R. Wadge, 22nd Bn. North'd. Fus.
No. 7500 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. J. H. Waite, 2nd Bn. Wilts R.
No. 13462 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. H. Walls, 7th Bn. R. Ir. Fus.
No. 8/9711 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. C. Watkins, 8th Bn. Bord. R.
No. 1789 Coy. Sgt.-Maj. W. H. Watson, 17th Bn. Aus. Imp. Force.
No. 5553 R. Qr.-Mr.-Sgt. R. Wharton, 2nd Bn. S. Gds.
No. 480 R.Q.M.S. (Actg. S.M.) J. W. Wilkinson, 4th Bn. York. R., T.F.
No. 4406 Sqdn. Sgt.-Maj. J. Williams, 7th Dn. Gds.

DISTINGUISHED CONDUCT MEDAL.

Amongst those awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal for acts of gallantry and devotion to duty in the field are the following belonging to Irish Regiments:—

5/6562 L./Sgt. C. S. Allcock, 2nd Bn. R. Muns. Fus.
7218 Sgt. C. E. Anstey, 2nd Bn. Ir. Gds.
6/1431 Sgt. T. Cahill, 6th Bn. R. Ir. Regt.
8967 L./Sgt. M. Dreeling, 2nd Bn. R. Ir. Regt.
4/6403 Sgt. C. O'Callaghan, 2nd Bn. R. Muns. Fus., Spec. Res.
3/4958 Pte. P. Ring, 2nd Bn. R. Muns. Fus. (Spec. Res.).
1631 Coy. S./M. P. Smith, 6th Bn. R. Ir. Regt.
2/8534 Sgt. J. Sullivan, 2nd Bn. R. Muns. Fus. (Spec. Res.).
9/854 Coy. S./M. J. Tyner, 9th Bn. R. Muns. Fus.

A Melbourne telegram states: The recent French week appeal will probably yield the sum of £55,000. The *Age*, commenting on the sudden large reduction in the price of American drugs, exceeding in some instances 30 per cent., asks is the end of the war near.



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LOUDON-SHAND, Major S. W., Yorks. Regt., should read—LOUDOUN-SHAND, Major S. W., Yorks. Regt.

OFFICER WOUNDED.

BIRCH, Sec. Lt. W. E., East Lancs. Regt., att. R.F.C., should read—BIRCH, Sec. Lt. W. E., South Lancs. Regt., att. R.F.C.

INDIAN FORCES.

The following casualties in the Indian Forces are also reported:—

OFFICER DIED.

SMITH, Sec. Lt. R. L., Indian Army Res. of O.

OFFICER WOUNDED.

DENING, Capt. R., Indian Cavalry.

OFFICER PRISONER OF WAR.

HORWOOD, Lt. J. C., Indian Army Res. of Officers.

Officers previously reported believed to have been taken prisoners at Kut-el-Amara, now reported prisoners of war:—

ANDERSON, Capt. L. A. P., Indian Medical Service.
ARMSTRONG, Lt. F. M. C., Indian Infantry.
BARBER, Major C. H., Indian Medical Service.
DELAMAIN, Major-Gen. W. S., C.B., Indian Army.
HEHIR, Col. P., C.B., Indian Medical Service.
KING, Capt. H. H., Indian Medical Service.

Officers believed to have been taken prisoners at Kut-el-Amara:—

ROSE, Major S., Indian Medical Service.
PHILLIPS, Capt. J. W. S. and T. Corps.

CORRECTION.

Officer previously reported missing, now reported missing, believed killed:—

HOWARD, Capt. B. H., Indian Infantry, should read—HOWARD, Major B. H., Indian Infantry.

The following casualties are reported under various dates:—

OFFICERS KILLED.

BROWN, Sec. Lt. A. C., S. African Infantry.
BURGES, Major E. T., S. African Infantry.
FISHER, Lt. H. L., Canadian Infantry.
HAARHOFF, Sec. Lt. A. E., S. African Infantry.
HETHERINGTON, Lt. J. E., Canadian M.G.C.
MILLER, Capt. G. J., S. African Infantry.

Officer previously reported missing, believed killed, now reported killed:—

HUDSON, Sec. Lt. A., New Zealand Infantry.

OFFICERS WOUNDED.

BALL, Lt. H. E., Canadian Infantry.
BROOKER, Lt. S., New Zealand Infantry.
DAVIDSON, Lt. A. R. W., Canadian T.M.B.
DOUGHERTY, Lt. B. H. L., S. African Infantry.
FENIX, Sec. Lt. N. G., S. African Infantry.
FURMIDGE, Sec. Lt. P. W., S. African Infantry.
GILMOUR, Lt. A. H., Canadian Infantry.
GREENE, Lt. L., S. African Infantry.
GRIERSON, Sec. Lt. R. W., S. African Infantry.
M'DONALD, Capt. A. W. H., S. African Infantry.
M'EVOY, Capt. A. M., Canadian Infantry.
MACKENZIE, Lt. A. A., Canadian Infantry.
M'LEOD, Major D. M., S. African Infantry.
NEWTON, Lt. R., Canadian Artillery.
PERKINS, Lt. W. J., S. African Infantry.
PRIDAY, Capt. T. A., S. African Infantry.
RICHARDSON, Lt. A. S., Canadian Infantry.
TIMMIS, Major R. S., Canadian Cavalry.
TOMLINSON, Capt. L. W., S. African Infantry.

NAVAL LIST.

The Secretary of the Admiralty announces the following casualties:—

KILLED.

Lt. EDWARD R. M. LANE, R.N.
Sec. Lt. WILLIAM C. A. ELLIOTT, R.M.L.I.

WOUNDED.

Midshipman THOMAS B. BRUNTON, R.N.R.

OTHER RANKS.

IRISHMEN AND MEN IN IRISH REGIMENTS ONLY.

The following casualties amongst warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men, are reported, under various dates.

All are privates except where otherwise shown.

The town shown against each soldier's name is the home of his next-of-kin, except when followed by the abbreviation "Enlt.," when it is his place of enlistment.

KILLED.

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.

Boyle, J. (Donegal). Bradley, J. (Durham). Carrick, P. (Galway). Chatton, Cpl. J. H. (Dunbarton). Clarke, P. (Armagh). Courtney, Sgt. E. (Clones). Crooks, E. (Derrygonnelly). Dixon, E. (Enniskillen). Evans, L.-Cpl. H. (Enniskillen). Gallagher, P. (Castlefin). Gannon, W. (Liverpool). Gibson, D. (Glasgow). Ginn, Sgt. R. (Belfast). Hanna, Co. Sgt.-Maj. J. (Belfast). Hogan, L.-Cpl. J. (Enniskillen, Enlt.). Hughes, J. (Magherafelt). Loans, J. (Govan). McCollum, T. (Omagh). McFadyen, J. (Stirling). McGuinness, L.-Cpl. T. (Uddingston). McKenna, L.-Sgt. J. (Dublin). Maguire, J. (Lisbellaw). Mallon, E. (Tyrone). Modler, Co. Sgt.-Maj. R. (Dublin). Monrieth, R. (Castlederg). Oliver, J. G. (Washington, Co. Durham). O'Neill, C. (Dungannon). Ott, L.-Cpl. A. (London). Porter, J. (Glasgow). Robinson, W. J. (B'fast). Sargent, W. (Gosport, Enlt.). Sherwood, J. (Oldcastle). Stevens, H. (Liverpool). Thompson, L.-Cpl. F. (Widnes). Trainor, J. (Stirling). Tylor, W. (Ilford). Watt, Cpl. R. (Belfast). Williams, W. (Workington). Williams, W. (Liverpool). Wilson, J. (Belfast).

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.

Allen, W. J. (Lisburn). Andrews, J. (Lisburn). Ansell, J. (Belfast). Bell, H. (Lisburn). Bell, L.-Sgt. J. (Glenary). Bell, Co. Sgt.-Maj. J. (Muckamore). Brown, E. (Lambeg). Buick, Sgt. J. (Milltown, Co. Antrim). Cathcart, L.-Cpl. T. (Lisburn). Cleland, G. (Lisburn). Dunleavy, J. (Lisburn). Dunlop, Cpl. Q. (Lisburn). Foster, L.-Cpl. J. B. (Randalstown). Gaussen, C. L. (Holywood). Gorman, D. (Lisburn). Haddock, T. (Lisburn). Harper, J. (Templepatrick). Harvey, J. (Lisburn). Hoy, S. (Belfast). Knox, F. (Randalstown). Lennox, L.-Cpl. F. J. (Castledawson). Lewis, B. (Lambeg). Lunn, Cpl. J. (Lisburn). MacClean, J. (Lisburn). McClughan, R. (Mallusk). McGimpsey, J. (Newtownards). McKechnie, L.-Cpl. R. (Dunmurry). McKeown, W. (Dunmurry). McMullen, J. (Lisburn). Magill, R. D. (Randalstown). Marks, R. (Lisburn). Morrow, J. (Carrowdare). Morrow, R. (Lisburn). Neill, J. (Lisburn). Nixon, R. W. (Arva). Pollock, A. (Randalstown). Robinson, E. (Tomebridge). Sloan, W. (Newtownards). Smith, R. (Lisburn). Steadman, J. (Lisburn). Stephenson, J. (Lisburn). Stewart, Cpl. P. M. (Lisburn). Toman, H. (Lisburn). Walker, L.-Cpl. G. F. (Lisburn). Wallace, J. (Belfast). Welch, A. (Lisburn). White, J. (Ballymena).

DIED OF WOUNDS.

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.

Curran, F. (Belfast). Macourt, Sgt. H. (B'fast). Tracey, F. (Londonderry). Quigley, D. (Londonderry).

ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.

McArdle, J. (Sittingbourne). Hynes, B. (Killkelly).

WOUNDED.

ROYAL HORSE ARTILLERY.

Griffiths, Gnr. B. (Waterford).

ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS.

Fortune, J. (Dublin).

ROYAL INNISKILLING FUSILIERS.

Agnew, R. (Drumard). Brown, F. J. (Coleraine). Brownlow, R. (Coleraine, Enlt.). Burns, R. W. (Glasgow). Bustard, T. (High Sion). Campbell, H. (Coleraine). Collins, A. (Coleraine, Enlt.). Connolly, A. (Coleraine). Corbett, J. (Cookstown). Crockett, J. (Eaghbeg). Davidson, Sgt. W. A. (Dungiven). Donnell, R. (Derry). Edgar, J. (Derry). Edmundson, J. (Cloghan). Elder, S. (Limavady). Gibson, L.-Cpl. T. (Enniskillen). Gillen, Sgt. D. (Derry). Hamilton, H. (Mullaghscall). Irwin, T. (Cookstown, Enlt.). Kirk, J. (Caledon). Laird, J. (Creggan). Lally, Sgt. J. (Kingstown). Lamb, J. (Crunkill). Lowry, S. (Finner Camp, Enlt.). McNickle, R. (Letterbratt). Mills, L.-Cpl. H. (West Bromwich). Mitchell, Bglr. J. (Derry). Morrison, S. (Derry). Noble, S. (Glentimon). Scott, H. J. (Coagh). Thompson, D. (Coleraine). Turner, W. (Derry). Watson, L.-Cpl. G. C. (Durham). Weir, Sgt. G. (Toberlea). Wilmot, Sgt. W. (Dublin). Wilson, J. (Dublin, Enlt.). Woods, J. (Drumford).

ESSEX REGIMENT.

Guiver, L.-Cpl. T. (Fermoy).

BERKSHIRE REGIMENT.

Hackett, Cpl. J. (Callan).

ROYAL IRISH RIFLES.

Adair, J. E. (Belfast). Adams, D. (Belfast). Adamson, J. B. (Belfast). Allen, P. J. (Belfast). Armstrong, E. (Belfast). Atkinson, R. (Belfast). Barr, L.-Cpl. W. (Belfast). Bell, J. M. (Belfast). Black, R. (Belfast). Bothwell, T. H. (Belfast). Bourke, J. (Belfast). Boyd, D. (Belfast). Boyd, H. (Belfast). Boyd, T. W. (Belfast). Bushell, J. (Belfast). Campbell, J. (Belfast). Carlisle, R. (Belfast). Carlisle, W. (Belfast). Chater, Sgt. W. G. (Down). Clarke, D. (Belfast). Clarke, D. (Dundonald, Co. Down). Clarke, J. (Belfast). Cochrane, L.-Cpl. T. (Belfast). Conway, J. (Belfast). Corbett, J. E. (Belfast). Craig, J. (Belfast). Crosbie, T. (Belfast). Darley, I. (Belfast). Doggart, M. (Newtownards). Donaldson, R. (Belfast). Douglas, D. (Belfast). Duncan, L.-Cpl. E. (Belfast). Eakin, S. (Belfast). Ervine, T. (Belfast). Fee, T. (Belfast). Fletcher, W. (Belfast). Forsythe, G. (Belfast). Frazer, N. (Belfast). French, R. (Belfast). Gibson, J. (Belfast). Girvan, L.-Cpl. D. (B'fast). Gordon, J. (Belfast). Grant, J. (Belfast). Green, F. (Belfast). Haldane, R. (Belfast). Hall, T. K. (Belfast). Hanley, D. (Belfast). Hanlon, L.-Cpl. M. (Banbridge). Hanna, L.-Cpl. R. (B'fast). Henry, W. (Belfast). Herron, L.-Cpl. H. (B'fast). Hobson, W. J. (Belfast). Houston, R. (Belfast). Johnston, W. H. (Belfast). Kelly, W. (Derry). Kerr, R. (Belfast). King, S. W. (Belfast). Kirk, L.-Cpl. E. (B'fast). Kirkpatrick, T. (Cookstown). Laverly, W. (Belfast). Leslie, W. (Belfast). Leitch, J. (Belfast). Liggett, W. (Belfast). Lowe, G. (Belfast). Lowry, T. (Belfast). McBride, J. (Lambeg). McCarter, J. (Belfast). McCone, T. (Belfast). McConnell, J. (Belfast). McConnell, L.-Cpl. W. L. (Belfast). McCormack, H. (Belfast). McCracken, J. (Belfast). McCullogh, L.-Cpl. W. (Belfast). McElroy, Cpl. W. (B'fast). McFadden, J. (Belfast). McFarlane, J. (Belfast). McFarlane, J. J. (Carnmoney, Co. Antrim). McGrillan, P. (Belfast). McIlroy, F. (Belfast). McIlveen, G. (Belfast). McIntosh, L.-Cpl. J. (Belfast). McKee, D. (Belfast). Magowan, W. J. (Belfast). Marshall, J. (Belfast). Martin, W. (Bangor). Meharg, J. (Belfast). Millar, L.-Sgt. T. (B'fast). Milligan, J. (Belfast). Moffatt, Sgt. W. (B'fast). Moore, J. (Donaghadee). Morrow, J. B. (Belfast). Morrow, J. F. (Belfast). Morrow, Sgt S. (B'fast). Mulholland, A. (Belfast). Mullan, D. (Belfast). Mullan, S. (Belfast). Murdock, W. A. (B'fast). Murray, W. (Belfast). Napier, S. (Belfast). Nesbitt, N. (Belfast). Nevin, W. (Belfast). Orr, H. (Belfast). Orr, L.-Cpl. H. (Belfast). Patterson, P. (Belfast). Quincey, R. (Belfast). Reid, Sgt. E. (Belfast). Robinson, A. (Belfast). Robinson, H. (Belfast). Robinson, W. J. (Belfast). Russell, A. N. (Belfast). Scott, W. (Belfast). Shields, Sgt. S. (B'fast). Smith, Co. Sgt.-Maj. A. P. (Belfast). Somerville, J. (Belfast). Stewart, J. (Belfast). Sturgeon, Cpl. W. F. (Belfast). Thompson, P. (Broughshane, Co. Antrim). Thompson, R. (Belfast). Thompson, W. (Belfast). Tierney, R. (Belfast). Turner, W. (Belfast). Wakely, F. (Belfast). Wallace, L.-Cpl. G. (Belfast). Wasson, G. (Belfast). Wilkins, R. J. (Belfast). Wilson, Sgt. G. A. C. (Down). Wilson, W. (Belfast). Wilson, W. (Belfast). Wilson, W. (Belfast).

ROYAL DUBLIN FUSILIERS.

Buckley, L.-Cpl. E. (Castleton). Canavan, W. (Queenstown). Connor, S. (Dublin). Doyle, P. (Dublin). Ennis, J. (Ranelagh). Farrell, P. (Dublin). Flannery, J. (Dublin). Grant, J. (Dublin). Kavanagh, J. (Dublin). McKeown, A. Cpl. H. (Belfast). Newman, Cpl. W. (Dublin). O'Hara, M. (Dublin). Plant, Sgt. B. (Rathmines). Power, Cpl. R. (Dublin). Ryan, J. (Athy). Stokes, P. (Inchicore). Walker, P. (Edenderry).

LONDON REGIMENT.

Hawthorne, D. J. (Belfast).

MISSING.

ROYAL SCOTS FUSILIERS.

Walsh, P. (Dublin).

Lieutenant Launcelot Cary.—Information reached Torquay yesterday that Lieutenant Launcelot Cary, who, only three weeks ago, succeeded to an estate comprising a great part of Torquay, has been killed in action.

Lieutenant W. H. Potterton.—Lieutenant William Hubert Potterton, of the Royal Engineers, who has been killed in action, was the eldest son of Mr. William Potterton, Palmerston Park, Dublin. He was 24 years of age.

Second Lieutenant J. R. Ardill.—Second Lieutenant J. R. Ardill, reported missing, is now stated to be wounded and a prisoner of war in a German hospital.

Second Lieutenant J. W. Toone.—Second Lieutenant J. W. Toone, Royal Irish Regiment and Royal Flying Corps, reported missing, is the grandson of Canon Toone, Cuxton, Kent, where he was brought up, and the only surviving son of his mother. He was educated at Castle Park, Dalkey, and Rossall. From Sandhurst he passed out as under officer. He obtained his wings on December 7th, 1915, and went out to France on February 19th last.

Second Lieutenant J. W. Clarke.—Second Lieutenant J. W. Clarke, R.E., wounded on July 16th in the left shoulder, is the son of Mr. William Clarke, of Fermoy, Co. Cork, and is 21 years of age. On the outbreak of war he obtained a commission in the Royal Engineers. After a period of training he proceeded to the Dardanelles, and participated in the fighting at Suvla Bay. Here he contracted enteric, and on recovery was ordered to France, where he took part in the severe fighting from the 1st to 16th July, when he was wounded.

Second Lieutenant M. J. Penrose Fitzgerald.—The death from wounds received in action is announced of Second Lieutenant Maurice J. Penrose Fitzgerald, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Penrose Fitzgerald, The Grange, Midleton, Co. Cork. Lieutenant Fitzgerald was 22 years of age.

STEADY PROGRESS IN EAST AFRICA.

GERMAN GOVERNOR CAPTURED.

The Secretary of the War Office announces:—

Telegraphing on July 26th, Brigadier-General Northey reports that on July 24th he drove the main German southern detachment of the enemy from strongly-organised positions astride the Neu Langenburg Iringa road at Malangali. After several strong, but unsuccessful counter-attacks, the enemy retired hurriedly in the direction of Iringa, abandoning a 4.1-inch howitzer and two machine guns. Previously to this engagement several German Europeans were captured, in the course of operations towards Lupembe. Amongst the number was Dr. Stier, late Governor of Neu Langenburg district, who has since died of wounds received in action.

It is of interest to note that the majority of the surviving members of the crew of the German cruiser Konigsberg form part of the forces in this area.

[Malangali is 85 miles from Neu Langenburg and 73 miles from Iringa. Lupembe is 33 miles east of Ubena.]

ARABS AND TURKISH MISRULE.

AN APPEAL TO BRITAIN.

Reuter's Agency is informed that the following announcement has been promulgated among Moslem communities in British Colonies:—

"For many years the Arabs, chafing under the misrule of Turkey, have looked forward to the day when they could regain their former freedom, and revolts against Turkish domination in Arabia have been frequent in the past. The misdeeds of the present Government in Constantinople, and its complete subservience to German influence, have forced Turkey into a disastrous war, and have brought matters to a climax. The Sherifs of Mecca and other ruling Chiefs of Arabia have decided that the time had come to throw off the Turkish yoke, and assert their independence. Great Britain had always viewed Arab aspirations with sympathy, but in the past her traditional friendship with Turkey compelled her to stand aloof. Now, Turkey, by throwing in her lot with the Central Powers, has left Great Britain free to give practical evidence of her sympathy with those Arabs, who have remained themselves on the side of the Allies against the common enemy. It remains the fixed policy of Great Britain to abstain from all interference in all religious matters, and to spare no effort to secure all the holy places of Islam from external aggression. It is an unalterable point of British policy that these holy places should remain under independent Moslem rule and authority. The present state of war has placed many difficulties and dangers in the way of those wishing to perform the pilgrimage, but the action taken by the Sherif of Mecca gives rise to the hope that arrangements may be made whereby pilgrims may in future visit the holy shrines in peace and security."

ANGLO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

NEW MINISTER'S MESSAGE TO VISCOUNT GREY.

Reuter's Agency is informed that the following telegrams have been exchanged between M. Stuermer, Russian Premier and Minister for Foreign Affairs, and Viscount Grey:—

"Summoned by His Majesty the Emperor to undertake the portfolio of Foreign Affairs, I experience sincere pleasure in entering into relations with Your Excellency, and ask you to count upon me to consolidate and develop the friendly relations and the alliance so happily established between Great Britain and Russia."

Viscount Grey to M. Stuermer—"I hasten to thank Your Excellency for the telegram which you have been so good as to address to me on the occasion of your assumption of the portfolio of Minister for Foreign Affairs. Your Excellency enters upon your high office at an auspicious moment, and I am convinced that under your guidance the Alliance between our two countries, cemented as it is by an ever-growing friendship between the two peoples, will continue to prove a sure pledge of speedy victory and of an enduring peace."

WOOL SALES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

BRISBANE, THURSDAY.

The two days' wool sales have concluded. All descriptions of greasy fetched from 5 to 10 per cent. more than in June. Scoureds were irregular, generally 5 to 10 per cent. lower, but one lot of scoureds fetched 45d.—an Australian record.

WILSON LINER PURSUED.

(PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.)

CHRISTIANIA, THURSDAY.

Reports from Risoer state that heavy gunfire was heard there about midnight last night, and the Wilson liner Eskimo was seen being pursued by a German cruiser, which fired several shots at her. Some of those who witnessed the affair say the Eskimo was sunk; others that she was towed away by the cruiser. There is reason to believe, the report says, that the affair took place in Norwegian territorial waters.

FATAL EXPLOSION AT ACETYLENE WORKS.

As a result of an explosion on Tuesday at the acetylene works of the Meteorlyte, Limited, Camberwell, London, eight persons were injured, three of whom have since died, while considerable damage was done to property. Part of the roof was blown off and a fire broke out. The killed were:—Kathleen Kempson, Frank Webber, and William Lewin. William Kempson, one of the injured, and manager of the works, made a gallant attempt to save his daughter, and it is stated was injured in making the attempt. Most of the injuries consisted of burns. The explosion caused alarm in the neighbourhood; several windows of private dwellings were broken.

SKERRY'S SCHOOL, 10 Harcourt st., Dublin, provides Specialised Tuition in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping, etc. The most up-to-date School of its kind in Ireland. Shorthand Speed Classes to suit all rates. Splendidly equipped Typewriting Classrooms, with 45 up-to-date Typewriters. Proficient Students assisted to Situations. 603 Certificates in Shorthand, Typewriting, and Book-keeping obtained by Students of this School since January, 1914. The School re-opens after Summer Vacation on 31st inst.—(Advt.)

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public statement to that effect. If the question of the noble lord was intended to suggest, as he was sure it was not, that the British Government would excuse subjects of military age of allied countries from the obligations imposed upon them by the government of their own nation, he might say it was impossible for the Government to take any action in that direction. Russian subjects were being exceptionally treated in being permitted to serve in any of the Allied armies, and, further, they were given the opportunity of applying to the tribunals for exemption from service, in the same way as British subjects. All reasonable steps were taken to ensure that applications for exemption were considered by tribunals specially qualified to deal with the cases before them. The plan of the Government was to enlist Russians in the British Army, and not to refuse hospitality to Russians living here. All Russians in the country were not political refugees, and it was obviously unfair to British subjects who were compelled to fight that Russian subjects here, of military age, should not be compelled to make equal sacrifices in the common cause. There was no question of the abandonment by the Government of the policy of giving asylum to political refugees, but it was impossible to allow any person whose conduct made it necessary to require him to leave this country to leave for any country except his own. It was very doubtful whether there was any country which would welcome a Russian who left this country because he refused to take his share in the common burden here.

Earl LOREBURN thought that the reply of the noble lord was most unsatisfactory. He did not object to saying to a man "We won't allow you to take the benefit of the defence made by Englishmen, and do nothing yourself if you choose to dine and reside here," but what he did think was an extremely startling proposition was that it should be said to a Russian—"If you don't enlist in the British Army you will be sent back to Russia, and not allowed to go to any other country." That seemed to him to be entirely wrong. But that was what was being done by Mr. Samuel. If he were a Jew, or had a drop of Jewish blood in his veins, he would sooner cut his hand off than say to a man—"If you don't enlist in the British Army you shall go back, being a Polish Jew, nowhere you like to any other part of the world, but to Poland or to Russia." Such a course was unworthy of the traditions of English freedom, and it ought not to be followed. (Cheers.) This kind of thing would only kindle feelings against us among Jews, who were admirable citizens, and who had strong feelings with regard to their own case. He hoped that Lord Lansdowne would use his influence against such a course, which was unworthy of the traditions of this country.

Earl RUSSELL said that this was a dangerous innovation in this country of a practice which had always been the curse of Russia, and was the greatest possible menace to freedom.

The Marquis of LANSDOWNE said it was impossible to listen to the speeches that had been made without realising how deep and sincere was the feeling which the subject had given rise to in the minds of some noble lords. He quite understood the point raised, and he was quite sure it was not the intention of those responsible for the policy criticised that any person who was a political refugee should be placed in the dilemma of either having to serve in the British Army or of having to return to a country where he might be harshly treated on political grounds. He would, however, make it his duty to inquire into the matter, and if the subject was again raised he would deal more fully with it.

The House adjourned at 6.20 p.m.

HOUSE OF COMMONS—Thursday.

The SPEAKER took the chair at 2.45.

GERMAN PRINCES TO BE DEPRIVED OF TITLES.

Mr. ASQUITH, replying to a question by Mr. Swift MacNeill, asking whether the British titles and orders of the Duke of Albany and Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein, and the Duke of Cumberland, who were in arms against this country, would be taken away, said that the matter had been considered by the Cabinet. The Government were in full sympathy with the feeling and opinion of the House, and His Majesty would be asked to take the necessary steps in regard to the titles and orders. The Lord Chancellor was considering the technical questions of law.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Mr. ASQUITH announced that there would be taken on Monday Mr. Dillon's motion, and on Tuesday the third reading of the Consolidated Fund Bill; on Wednesday there would be the statement on the Paris Economic Conference.

THE REGISTRATION PROPOSALS.

Mr. ASQUITH, replying to Mr. Hunt, who asked whether soldiers and sailors who had served in the war would be included in the registration proposals, said that the Government would introduce proposals, but he could not at present indicate their scope.

FOOD PRICES.

Mr. HARCOURT informed Mr. Boothman that the Committee on food prices proposed to issue an interim report on meat, milk, and bacon in the course of the summer.

AFFAIRS IN PERSIA.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN, replying to Mr. Malcolm, said that Brigadier-General Sir Percy Sykes, left Bundar Abbas in May, and arrived at Kerman without encountering any opposition on June 12. He was welcomed there, and found the officials anxious to do all in their power to carry out the instructions of the Persian Government in restoring order and controlling the disturbers of neutrality.

THE R.I.C. AND THE WAR BONUS.

Mr. COOTE asked the Home Secretary if he would inform the House if the members of the Royal Irish Constabulary had received any financial consideration by way of bonus since the beginning of the war; if he would state whether a memorial from this force had been sent to him through the Inspector General, Royal Irish Constabulary, praying that a bonus may be granted to them during the period of the war owing to the increase in the cost of living, and, if so, what action he proposed to take in the matter.

Mr. SAMUEL—The memorial referred to by the hon. member has been received, and is under consideration. A statement on the matter will be made in the course of a few days.

AGRICULTURAL SHOWS AND ENTERTAINMENTS.

Mr. GRAHAM was informed by Mr. McKenna that payments for admission to agricultural shows were subject to the entertainment tax, unless the Commissioners of Customs and Excise were satisfied that any exceptions provided in Section 1 (5) of the Finance (New Duties) Act, 1916, were applicable, and this could only be determined by the Commissioners on consideration of the particular circumstances of each case. If a horse-jumping competition were held in a separate enclosure the tax would be leviable on the charge, if any, for admission thereto.

PRISON WARDERS' PAY.

Mr. PATRICK MEEHAN asked the Home Secretary whether the scheme to increase the pay of Irish prison warders would be put into operation at an early date, and whether the full benefits of the scheme would be granted to the female warders.

Mr. SAMUEL said that the reply to the first paragraph of the question was in the affirmative. It was hoped that the scheme would include the female warders.

SCIENCE TEACHING IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS.

Mr. SAMUEL informed Mr. P. Meehan that science has been an optional subject in examinations of the Intermediate Education Board since 1910, having been with certain exceptions an obligatory subject from the date of its introduction in 1902 up to 1909. In their rules for 1917 the Board had introduced a written examination for "pass" candidates in science. The statement that the Board was, or had been, hostile to science teaching in Irish Secondary Schools was declared by them to be contrary to fact. They had from time to time, and even in the present year, advanced large sums to the schools on exceptionally easy terms, in order to provide proper equipment and appliances for the teaching of practical science. He would ask the Board to consider the hon. member's representation on this matter at their next meeting.

CONSOLIDATED FUND BILL.

The Consolidated Fund (No. 4) Bill passed through Committee.

MESOPOTAMIA AND THE DARDANELLES.

The House went into Committee on the bill setting up special Commissions to inquire into the conduct of the campaigns in the Dardanelles and Mesopotamia respectively.

Mr. ASQUITH moved to insert the names of the Dardanelles campaign Commissioners as under—viz.: the Right Hon. the Earl Cromer, the Right Hon. Andrew Fisher, the Hon. Sir Thomas Mackenzie, Sir Frederick Cawley, Bart., M.P.; Mr. J. A. Clyde, K.C., M.P.; and Captain Stephen L. Gwynn, M.P.

After a short debate the amendment was agreed to.

Sir HENRY DALZIEL then moved to add to the Commission the name of Mr. Walter Roch, M.P., as a representative of the Welsh constituencies.

Mr. ASQUITH said he was very much in the hands of the House. If there was a desire to add this name to the Commission, there could be no objection of any form or kind, but he thought it right to warn the Committee against the danger of increasing the number of the Commission.

Mr. RONALD McNEILL hoped that the Prime Minister would not consent to add to the number of the Commission.

Mr. J. H. THOMAS contended that the inclusion of Mr. Roch would add to the public confidence in the Committee.

On a division the amendment was carried by 105 to 92, the result being received with loud cheers.

Sir HEDWORTH MEUX moved the inclusion in the Dardanelles Commission of at least one naval and military officer, chosen from the retired lists. He said that the Admirals and the Generals who would be tried by this tribunal should be judged by men who had some knowledge of modern naval and military matters. What knowledge had any of the men chosen of the technical matters connected with the Navy and Army? It was plain that the Commission had been appointed in order to whitewash the Government.

The CHAIRMAN—The hon. member is treating the subject too widely. He must try to make a direct hit on the point. (Laughter.)

Commander BELLAIRS thought that at least the Commissioners should have naval and military assessors to advise them.

Mr. ASQUITH said that there was an objection to the number of Commissioners being unduly large. He could assure the House that the Commissioners would avail themselves to the full of naval and military advice, as just suggested by Commander Bellairs. (Cheers.)

Mr. T. M. HEALY supported the proposed representation of the Navy and the Army.

Sir HEDWORTH MEUX objected to the naval and military advisers being mere assessors.

Mr. ASQUITH said he would agree to the amendment. (Loud cheers.)

THE TERMS OF REFERENCE.

Mr. CHURCHILL moved an amendment to the terms of reference to the Commission, so as to make it an inquiry into the circumstances in which, and the authority upon which, the naval and military expeditions to the Dardanelles and Gallipoli were undertaken. He instanced a number of points upon which investigation should be made, and said that it was desirable to have a very definite and precise reference. In any event, such a Commission as that proposed could not pronounce finally on the conduct of military and naval officers in regard to professional action, such men being entitled to be tried by their peers and properly constituted experts.

Mr. ASQUITH said that the danger of giving a detailed, instead of a general, form of reference was that only the matters referred to would be considered, and other important points left out. He would suggest, as an alternative, that the inquiry should be made to relate to the "origin, inception, and conduct" of the expeditions. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. CHURCHILL'S amendment was withdrawn, and the terms of reference altered as suggested by Mr. Asquith.

THE MESOPOTAMIAN COMMISSION.

Mr. ASQUITH moved to insert the names of the Mesopotamia Commission as under—The Right Hon. Lord George Francis Hamilton, the Earl of Donoughmore, Lord Hugh Cecil, M.P.; Sir Archibald Williamson, Bart., M.P., and Mr. John Hodge, M.P.

Sir HENRY DALZIEL said he would like to be allowed to say that in the remarks he made yesterday he had no intention of making any personal reflection on Lord George Hamilton. He was associated with the noble lord in the House of Commons for many years, and looked upon him as a man with a perfectly impartial mind.

The amendment was agreed to.

Sir ALFRED MOND moved to add to the Commission the name of Lieutenant-Commander J. C. Wedgwood, M.P. He pointed out that the Mesopotamia Commission only comprised five members, whereas the Dardanelles Commission now comprised seven members.

Mr. ASQUITH said he had no objection whatever to the adoption of the name of Lieutenant-Commander Wedgwood, whose experience in the various theatres of war would, no doubt, prove of great value to the Commission.

The amendment was agreed to, as were further amendments to add to the Commission at least one naval and one military officer chosen from the retired list, and to extend the terms of reference to an inquiry into the origin and conception of the campaign, and the supply of drafts, reinforcements, and ammunition to the troops and the Fleet.

Clause 1, as amended, was added to the bill.

POWERS OF THE COMMISSIONERS.

On Clause 2, which defines the powers of the Commissioners,

Sir HENRY DALZIEL moved the omission of Sub-Section 3, which authorises any person to be represented by counsel or solicitor, with the consent of the Commission.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN said that there was no desire that the proceedings should be prolonged by a great array of counsel. He imagined it would only be in exceptional cases that representation would be allowed, and he thought the Commission should have discretion to allow representation by counsel.

Mr. CHURCHILL hoped that the Government would accept the amendment, otherwise the whole object of the inquiry might be defeated.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN said that the cases where it was desirable that counsel should be present would be so few that he thought he might accept the amendment.

Sir GEORGE CAVE thought that the normal procedure in cases of this kind would be that the members of the Commission themselves would examine witnesses. At the same time he considered that the Commission should have full power to allow counsel to appear if they so wished, even if the sub-section was not in the bill.

Sir HENRY DALZIEL wished to withdraw the amendment.

Mr. LUNDON, however, said he must challenge a division, since the withdrawal of the amendment would mean that naval and military officers were being treated differently from the way in which Irishmen had been treated in the recent Irish Commission.

The amendment was defeated by 165 against 35.

The clause, as amended, was added to the bill.

PROTECTION OF WITNESSES.

On Clause 4, which provides for an indemnity to witnesses,

Mr. PETO moved to omit the first sub-section, which provides that a witness should not be entitled to refuse to answer a question on the ground that the answer might tend to incriminate him.

Sir GEORGE CAVE opposed the amendment. The clause as it stood was the common form.

After further debate,

Mr. ASQUITH said that the Government would consider whether an amendment could be inserted on report providing protection to a witness who was called upon to answer incriminating questions.

The amendment was by leave withdrawn, and the clause was added to the bill.

Clause 5, which empowers the Commission to sit outside the United Kingdom, was agreed to.

AN INTERIM REPORT.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN stated that the Government would be willing to accept an amendment by Mr. Dillon, making it obligatory for the Mesopotamia Commission to make an interim report on medical matters and provision for the sick and wounded before proceeding with the rest of the inquiry.

This was agreed to.

MR. HAZLETON AND THE SUSPENSION OF OFFICERS.

Mr. HAZLETON moved a new clause providing that the Commissioners should have power to suspend from his duties, pending the result of their inquiries, if they thought the efficiency of the public service was involved, any officer of the naval or military forces, or any civil officer of the public service, against whom any charges concerning the conduct of military or naval operations should be made. He said that they had an illustration of the need of such a clause in the experience in Dublin in connection with civil servants. The Home Secretary had appointed a Commission to go to Dublin and inquire into the case, and meantime they had been suspended for being suspected of being concerned in recent affairs. He wished to know why these officials should have been suspended. Officers in the Army might be responsible for the loss of thousands of lives, and as many officials in Ireland had been dismissed without waiting for trial he thought this amendment should be accepted. The cases referred to could then be investigated, and the responsible officers would be found. They ought not to wait until the report of the Commission was presented—it might not be for eighteen months or two years. By far the simpler and more straightforward course would be to give the Commission power to deal with such cases provisionally. He urged Mr. Chamberlain to reconsider the question.

Mr. CHAMBERLAIN said the Government could not possibly accept the proposed new clause.

Mr. LYNCH did not think that excessive powers should be given to the Commissioners, and he would use his powers of persuasion on his hon. friend to withdraw the clause.

Mr. FLAVIN was referring to the military officer who was found to be insane, who had innocent men shot in Dublin, when

The CHAIRMAN (Mr. Whitley) reminded the hon. member that that had nothing to do with the proposed new clause.

Mr. FLAVIN said he only wished to illustrate the need for this provision by a reference to what had taken place in Dublin, but he would respect the Chairman's ruling, although he could see no reason why the mental capacity of military and naval officers should not give way, as it had done in the case of the officer he had referred to.

Mr. LUNDON supported the clause. He considered that what was supposed to be good enough for the civil servants in Ireland ought to be good enough for officers in the Army and Navy. It was a question of suspension in either case, and he urged that the same treatment should be adopted.

The clause was rejected.

The bill, as amended, passed through Committee.

ACQUISITION OF LAND BILL.

The House then went into Committee on the Defence of the Realm (Acquisition of Land) Bill.

Clause 2, as amended, was added to the bill, and Clause 3 was under discussion, when The House rose at 12.10.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE GOVERNMENT OF IRELAND.

Letter from Mr. T. S. F. Battersby, K.C.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The "agreement" which was no agreement having been satisfactorily disposed of, the question arises, what is to be the government of Ireland during the war—and after? The Radical and Harmsworth Press, smarting under their collapse in the partition scheme, are now screaming that the whole "system" of Irish government has "broken down." The system did not break down. The unrest, the gun-running, the arming of the Volunteers, and the rebellion were not due to the system, but to its abandonment. Mr. Birrell was primarily responsible for all that happened. He came to Ireland with the intention of making British government impossible here. By his criminal neglect of the elementary duties of a Government, by his contemptuous refusal to listen to the warnings of those who knew Ireland, he betrayed the trust imposed on him. Like Gallio, "he cared for none of these things." "I laugh at them all" are his recorded words. Yet, when appointed Chief Secretary, he stated in a speech at Warrington that he found Ireland blessed with a peace and prosperity it had not known for 500 years—and that was true. We know to our cost how he left it.

But though Mr. Birrell debased the position of Chief Secretary, it is not for the purpose of attacking him that I recall his misdoings—his condemnation will be found in the records of his office and in the verdict of history—but in order to draw the proper conclusion from them. The peace and prosperity he found in Ireland were attained under the "system." They were the result of Act after Act passed by the United Parliament in order to improve the conditions of life, rural and industrial, in Ireland. When he first landed at Kingstown agriculture was flourishing, commerce was extending, poverty was on the decline, emigration had practically ceased, and, in the official language of Mr. T. P. Gill, formerly Nationalist member of Parliament, now Secretary of the Agricultural Department, Ireland was the most prosperous country in Europe. Best of all, animosities, religious and political, were gradually disappearing, and high hopes were expressed on every side that at last the era of hatred and bitterness was nearing its end. All these results were accomplished under the "system." What, then, was wrong? Nothing but the man. The appointment by the Prime Minister of an Englishman, a jester, who knew nothing, and wanted to know nothing, of Ireland, a man who deliberately avoided this country, and refused to work the system which had done so well, and to work which he was generously paid, was an offence against Ireland which can never be forgiven. Nor must it be repeated. It has always been an insult to this island that its nominal governor and its real ruler should be an Englishman or a Scotchman. Even when we had so sympathetic a Chief Secretary as Mr. Balfour, the fact remained that the underlying idea of government was that no Irishman was capable of governing his own country. The perpetual succession of English and Scotch Secretaries is incontrovertible. No such attempt is made to govern Scotland. Scotland would not tolerate it. After Mr. Birrell let us have no more English Chief Secretaries. For the period of the war let us have an Irish Lord Lieutenant, who will take the trouble to know his powers under his patent, and appoint an Irishman as Chief Secretary.

You, sir, through your London Correspondent, have suggested that the Secretaryship should be put in commission, and offered to Mr. Redmond and Sir Edward Carson. If they would "shake hands" and act together, it would be a happy augury for the future, and if, moreover, an Advisory Council, composed of official Nationalists, All-for-Irelanders, *Sinn Feiners*, Ulster Unionists, and Southern Unionists, could be induced to work in harmony, there would, indeed, be an object lesson of a united Ireland. But if party entanglements forbid so acceptable a solution, there are others. It is an invidious thing to select a name where there are so many to choose from; but there is one Irishman who stands out as a practical and real benefactor to the country, one who is so detached from party politics that by Unionists he is deemed a Home Ruler and by Nationalists a Unionist, one who knows the country, lives in and loves it—I mean, of course, Sir Horace Plunkett, as to whom all must admit his constant, unselfish, and successful efforts to improve Irish life and Irish production. His appointment would be a wholesome change from men of the class of Mr. Birrell, and, while some persons in each party might, no doubt, cavil—at whom will they not cavil?—it is as certain that it would obtain the warm approval of all moderate men as that it would redound to the material prosperity of Ireland. That he has not a seat in Parliament is no objection. A seat could be found for him, or he could have a portfolio without a seat.

Meanwhile, all parties would have breathing time to find, if it can be found, any solution of the Irish problem other than the Unionist solution. It was, and is, a simple one—govern the country. It succeeded beyond expectation prior to the Asquith-Birrell combination. Logically it should succeed again. Even the Roman Catholic Church seems tending in that direction. The Most Rev. Dr. Walsh has been eloquent in his silent disapproval of the Parliamentary Party. The Most Rev. the Bishop of Derry (and the other Prelates have expressed no dissent) declares that he would prefer fifty years more of the United Parliament and of the system to the Shamrock Legislature devised by Mr. Lloyd George. Govern the country, then, firmly, but with fairness and equity, and the peace and prosperity found and lost by Mr. Birrell will thrive and bear fruit an hundredfold.—Yours, etc.,

T. S. FRANK BATTERSBY.

Dublin, July 27th, 1916.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Lord Hugh Cecil accuses Sir E. Carson of yielding to undisciplined sentiment when he stated that it would not be a bad day for England, Ireland, and the war if he and Mr. Redmond shook hands on the floor of the House. In Ireland, however, sentiment stands for a great deal, and, as you have kindly allowed me to point out before, any arrangement made with mutual good-will is much more likely to work for the common good than a settlement forced on either side against its will. Lord Hugh Cecil fails to convince when he accuses Sir E. Carson of inconsistency. All Unionists believe that the closer our connection with England the better for Ireland, but some of us have come to the conclusion that English politicians have rendered the continuance of the present conditions almost impossible. Surely, then, it is not inconsistent to prefer a settlement made with the consent of all sections of Irishmen to one forced on us to suit the exigencies of a party in England. There need, I am sure, be no fear that any arrangement come to by consent will fail to safeguard England and the Empire from hurt as far as possible.—Yours, etc.,

"NORTH TIPPERARY."

July 27th, 1916.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—"Unless we can secure for Ireland a form of government at least not detestable to the mass of Irishmen, Ireland will remain a permanent source of weakness to us so long as the war lasts and a clog round our necks when it comes to the peace table." So spoke the *Daily News*. "Repeal," last week, in a letter to the *Irish Times*, wrote: "No Government of Ireland Act that is not wholly administered by Irishmen has the remotest possibility of success." Sir Horace Plunkett advocates "a wholly Irish system of administration." It is obvious that any hastily arranged settlement will be futile. Will Mr. Asquith be strong for once, and say: "Look here, you Irish people, the nation is in the throes of a life or death struggle. We cannot be hampered. I give you the choice of alternatives—martial law and strong military forces to keep peace and order, or I will send you a man of your own choosing as Prime Minister for the duration of the war." I believe that the mass of Irishmen, Nationalist and Unionist, would say: "Let us have this man, but let us have a strong man—an Irishman, a man who knows his own mind and sticks to it, and we shall accept him for the duration of the war."

The mass of Irishmen, irrespective of creed and party, believe Sir Edward Carson to be the strongest man in the present crisis. It would be a solution that would permit the Government to carry on the war without being hampered by broils in Ireland. Irishmen in the trenches would be glad to hear that their brothers were not at one another's throats, and all Irishmen and Irishwomen who love their country would be able to look forward in the near future to a judicious, well thought out settlement of the Irish question.—Yours, etc.,

"IRISHWOMAN."

Dublin, July 27th, 1916.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—Might I suggest, with great respect, that Dr. Berry would be better advised by indulging in platitudes more immediately concerning his own particular duties than in those regarding the government of this country? Almost at the very moment that he was addressing the Synod at Killaloe, Parliament was busy finally annihilating this detestable scheme of partition, loathed both by Unionists and Nationalists. Would not the Bishop have done better by urging his flock to concentrate their energies on other matters, and leaving those who believe that nothing except the retention of the Legislative Union between the two countries can save all sections from disaster to pursue their course as Unionists, unhampered by ecclesiastical advice?—Yours, etc.,

J. MACKAY WILSON.

July 27th, 1916.

INFANTILE MORTALITY IN DUBLIN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I hasten to write, in answer to Dr. Reginald White's letter in to-day's *Irish Times*, which I have read with pleasure, to assure him that the women who are moving in this matter only desire that every institution doing good work at present in saving the lives of mothers and babies shall be fully utilised under the Corporation scheme, wherever such institutions fulfil the requirements of the Treasury.

My omission to mention the Infant Aid Society in writing to the Press was due to the fact that I wrote from London, where I could not look up the various societies at work in Dublin. I knew that this Society existed, remembering its inception, but, as the invitation to the original meeting came from the Women's National Health Association, I imagined that it was still a branch of their work. I myself have no practical experience of health work, and it was the almost despairing cry of a worker at a Baby Club that decided me to strive for fair play for this urgent and vitally important effort.

Dr. White will believe me, I am sure, when I say that the women of all parties and classes who are coming together in the interests of the mothers and babies at this juncture come with one object only—the saving of life and health. We are anxious to get representatives of all the societies doing this work (we have already invited one or more from the Infant Aid Society)—not to suggest schemes—that is not our province—but to study the Government regulations and suggestions, and to see that Dublin obtains a scheme as comprehensive and effective as that of any other city in the Three Kingdoms.

I should mention that in my fear to overstate the rate of infant mortality in Dublin, I understated it, and that 163 *per* 1,000 births is the corrected figure for last year. In 1914 it was 145, while for London for the same year it was 104 *per* 1,000 births.

Unfortunately, Ponsonby's up to this have been unable to supply the public with the circular of the Irish Local Government Board dealing with maternity and child welfare, but they have got me the publication of the Scottish Board for the administration of the same Acts; this is most useful. I understand, however, that the Irish circular (34 M, 1916) will be on sale immediately.—Yours, etc.,

S. C. HARRISON.

36 Upper Fitzwilliam street Dublin,
27th July, 1916.

Fashionable Intelligence.

The Dowager Countess of Granard and her daughter left Dublin on Wednesday for London.

Lord Plunket arrived in Dublin on Wednesday.

The Hon. Lady Smiley has arrived in Ireland.

Sir Horace Plunkett is a good deal better, and hopes to return to Dublin within the next few days.

Sir Douglas Dawson arrived in Dublin yesterday from London.

Sir Andrew Horne has left town for a few weeks.

Dr. Peacocke has left Blackrock for a fortnight.

Mr. Alfred Purcell has left his residence, Melba, Iona road, for sixteen days.

Last two days of Switzer's Sale.

Cool Wash Frocks, lightest texture. Voiles, Muslins, Lawns, Georgette, Crepes, Marquisettes, Novelty Wash Fabrics, and Nets, the most desirable of the recent Fashions. Black, White, and practically every colour. Hundreds to choose from, at Holmes' Sale, 69, 70, 71 George's street.

A large consignment of Sports Coats in Pure Silk, Spun Silk, and Artificial Silk; also Shetland Wool Sports and Breakfast Coats.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 George's street.

The latest fashion in "Dress Circles" now is—to have dresses cleaned or dyed by the Dartry Dye Works, Dartry road, Dublin. It saves getting new.

Arrivals at Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers, 27th July.—Colonel W. Dawson, Hon. Ernest Guinness, Capt. John Weatherill, Capt. J. A. Maxwell, Sir John Moore, M.D., D.L.; Sir Fleetwood Wilson, Commander Lewis, R.N.; Lady Talbot de Malahide, Capt. C. J. Lankree, Lieut. J. F. Lanktree, J. Pullar Phibbs, T. Kemmis, Mrs. Phibbs, Miss Kemmis, R. L. Martin, C. B. Martin, Miss Murphy, M. D. Scott, F. W. Haughton, R.N.R.; Miss Sargent, the Misses Mexall, Miss V. Sargent, Miss J. Sargent, Arthur Pack Beresford, Miss Lucas, Miss R. Smith, R. L. Murray, Miss Boyle, F. A. Eagar, J. B. Morris, Miss A. Beatty, Miss M. Oliver, Miss A. May, B. F. Scorell, J. M. Slattery, Miss R. Martin, Mrs. J. Crosthwaite, Miss Watters, A. B. Donovan, Mrs. A. B. Donovan, Miss E. Rock, Miss E. J. Ferguson, J. Swanton, Miss FitzGibbon, Miss S. Isaacs, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Isaacs, S. L. Grubb, Miss Isaacs, Mrs. W. Sheperd, C. V. Stead, J. O. D. Murray, Rev. J. R. O'Rourke, G. H. Thorp, Miss O'Rourke, Miss E. Hamilton, Miss E. M. Wilson, W. Thorp.

Departures from Kingstown per Royal Mail Steamers, 26th July.—Lord Plunket, Hon. W. H. Goschen, His Honor Judge Law Smith and Mrs. Smith, Colonel Knox Gore, Colonel Bevan, Sir Howard Grubb, Capt. A. F. Cole, R.A.M.C.; Lieut.-Col. M. de Montgomery, Sec.-Lieut. and Mrs. R. O. Peel-Ilderton, Lieut. Ivan Hawes, R.G.A.; Sec. Lieut. Oliver C. Fry, Sec. Lieut. H. J. F. Gerrard, R.F.A.; Sir Andrew and Lady Horne, Major W. R. Richardson, the Bishop of Canea, W. S. M. Burns, Mrs. Hugh Stewart, W. T. Brand, David Weyms, Mrs. H. Tweedie, Miss Horne, Mrs. C. Burns, Miss K. Allen, Rev. J. and Mrs. Hadow, Mrs. R. H. Moore, T. M. Collier, Miss E. Anderson, Jas. Delany, Edmund Doolan, J.P.; Reginald Peacocke, M.D.; Miss E. Moore, Henry J. Weaver, Miss M. Moore, Mrs. Graham Toler, F. T. Sarile, Rev. R. Foord, Mr. and Mrs. T. Harlow Phibbs, Rev. R. W. Craig, Mrs. E. J. English, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kiernan, Rev. Richard Shegog, Miss George, Mrs. Shegog, Miss Thompson, Mrs. A. Parkes, Miss Parkes, Miss K. Parkes, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kerin.

Departures from Rosslare per Great Western Railway Steamers.—Miss Saunders, William Dunne, Mrs. F. Cripps, Mrs. A. Cunningham, Miss Molly McGrath, I. Gillman, Miss Eileen O'Leary, Mrs. McGowen, Mrs. Kennet, Mary Bear, Ellie Griffin, M. D. John, Patrick Donovan, Miss M. A. Brice, A. Cripps, Mrs. Ellie Blundson and 3 children, Miss B. N. O'Donoghue, M. Gillman, Mrs. B. O'Donoghue and 4 children, Miss Maud Kelcher, Mrs. Mary Underhill and child, Mrs. James, Sgt. J. A. Henry, R.G.A.; W. H. Langhorne.

Departures from Fishguard per Great Western Railway Steamers.—M. Saunders, Beatrice Freeman, Eileen Lawton, A. W. Eight, W. A. Forsyghte, C. Anderson, Winifred Stone Hurst, T. Wilkins, Frank T. D. Coe, P. O'Donnell, Kathleen Triggs, D. Shannon, Tom Doyle, J. Downing, Mary Moynahan, Mary Lawlor, Alice Dunn and children, Mrs. Suffield, Miss Rebecca Traveller, J. Tamell, Hannah Cronin, B. Cooney, Mrs. S. Wakefield, F. Sheehy, E. Lloyd Jones, May McKenna, Eileen Quirke, Jennie McIntyre and child; W. E. Reid, L. C. Leo, Elizabeth Lawton, O. S. Pilgin, Rev. Thomas Lawton, C. R. Runcens, D. V. Cronin, Edward S. M. Pennins, J. Patron, G. S. Trindle, William Halsta, Alice Cox, Katie Doyle, Miss White, Florence Mountjoy, Francis Pocock, James Dunn, Bridget Daly, Mrs. Hartley, M. T. Callaghan, Mrs. Tate and 4 children, Kate Finnegan, C. H. Cooke, R. Duffy, W. O'Donovan, Sarah Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Houlihan, Gladys Clifford and child, Mrs. McCoburty.

McBirney and Co.'s Summer Sale this day.

At Schreier's Sale—A few handsome Black Silk and Moire Wraps, usual price five guineas, Sale price 29s. 6d. Smart Tailor-Made Gowns from one guinea. Shantungs, Silks, Moires, etc. Also Coats, Fur and Fur-Lined, Sets, etc., at lowest prices. 136 Stephen's Green.

Sale of all Models and Made-Up Costumes, Coats, Dresses, and Blouses at much reduced prices.—Mumford, 18 Suffolk street, Dublin.

Summer Sale. Special Value. Great Variety.—Doyle and Son, Ltd., 38 Mary street.

Slyne and Co.'s Summer Gowns at ridiculously low prices.—71 Grafton street.

"EXTREMELY PLEASANT, AND I PREFER IT." Lady C. Hobart-Hampden writes—"The 'ALBION MILK AND SULPHUR SOAP' is extremely pleasant, and I prefer it to any other I have ever tried." Delightful at Toilet and Bath—pure, refreshing, delicately perfumed. Sold by Chemists, Grocers, etc.

ARMAGH ROYAL SCHOOL.

ITS MILITARY RECORD.

ADDRESS BY THE PRIMATE.

Yesterday afternoon the annual distribution of prizes in connection with Armagh Royal School took place, under the presidency of the Primate. There was a large and influential gathering.

The Headmaster, in his report, referred to the excellent work done during the year, and the many successes scored at the Intermediate examinations, including several exhibitions. Referring to the war, he said that nearly all their old boys available had joined the Army, and, as their boys left school, they nearly all went to do their duty. Like most of the Protestant schools in Ireland, their losses had been very heavy. No fewer than 26 of their old boys had been killed, more than one in ten of those on their list. Amongst other distinctions gained by their old boys, one had been created a C.B., one a C.I.E.; four had been awarded the D.S.O., one the D.S.C., five the Military Cross, and no less than sixteen had been mentioned in despatches. Those were records to be proud of. After, however, losing all those boys, were they going to gain what they were fighting for—liberty and safety of the smaller nations, the utter destruction of the Hohenzollerns, who for centuries past had held as their motto that might is right? He confessed he was not confident, when he looked back on the doings of their Government; upon the labour troubles before the war began, upon the want of foresight before it did begin, upon the hecatomb in Gallipoli, upon their foreign policy in the Balkans, upon their muddle and wild goose chase in Mesopotamia, and, finally, upon their Irish rule, or want of rule, which precipitated the rebellion, the results of which were not over yet. He heard that Sinn Fein badges were openly flaunted in Dublin. If that badge meant anything at all, it certainly meant that the wearer of it was an enemy to the British Empire, and wished to show that he was so. Why did that offence not come under the safety of the Realm Act? They all knew the reason. They knew that every statesman appointed to Ireland for years past seemed not only to have left his intelligence and commonsense behind him, but seemed to have abandoned his courage and energy at the same time.

The Primate, after congratulating the principal and the boys on the work that had been done during the past year, said that to live was a very grand thing to-day. No matter what period of history they took up, there was never a grander or a nobler time for a boy to do a man's work than in the present age of the world's history. They were born to be empire-builders if they were to take the place of the gallant dead, of whom they had heard that day, and of whom they were reading in every day's paper. What gallant lads they had been! And as they read of those men they knew they were their own kith and kin, and they knew there in school that many of those whose names were mentioned were boys who had cut their initials on their own desks and seats and had played cricket and football on their own sporting fields. And when they thought of the charge which Ulstermen made on the 1st July they would try and remember and imitate their heroism, and remember that they were boys who lived and worked, learned their lessons, and formed and fashioned their characters in the Royal School of Armagh. It was to the public schools of England, Scotland, and Ireland that England owed her existence to-day, and to the heroism of her soldiers in the great wide-world war going on.

The prizes were afterwards distributed by His Grace.

COMING EVENT.

Arcadia, Bray.—The concert by Miss Agatha Irelande's party will be given to-night at 8.15. A capital programme has been arranged, and will be contributed to by Miss Florence Cahill, Messrs. Nugent, Irvine Lynch, P. Deleny, L. Shanahan, R. Brereton Barry, and Miss Irelande.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, THURSDAY.

Stocks opened lower, with Alcohols, Petroleums, Munitions, and Motors showing recessions. At midday trading became almost motionless, but prices again declined with further selling of Rails. The market closed irregular. Government Bonds and Railroad Bonds irregular.

Losses—Baltimore Ohio Prefd., Lehigh Valley Shares, and New York Consolidated Gas, ½; Canadian Pacific, 1¼; Chesapeake Ohio Common and Illinois Central, ½; Chicago Great Western Prefd. and Denver Prefd., ¼; Chicago Milwaukee Prefd. 1½; Chicago North-Western Ord., 1; and Bethlehem Steel Common, 5.

Money steady. Sterling exchange easy. Silver commercial bars ⅛c. up.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng. Parity.	Stocks.	Closing Bid Prices Wed.	Thurs.
103¼	U.S. 2% Funded	98¼	98¼
112½	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	104½	107½
103¾	Do. Preferred	98½	98½
97½	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	93	93½
108¼	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	103¼	103
90	Baltimore and Ohio	86½	85½
77½	Do. Preferred	74	73½
184½	Canadian Pacific	177¼	176
99½	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	95½	95
133½	Do. Preferred	128½	127
178¼	Chic. & N.W. Pref.	170	170
20¼	Chic. Rock I. & Pacific	20	
12½	Denver & Rio Grande	12	12
35	Do. Preferred	34	33⅝
36¼	Erie Railroad	34½	34½
54½	Do. 1st Preferred	51½	51½
77½	Do. Lien Bonds	74	73½
107½	Illinois Central	102¼	102
133¼	Louisville & Nashville	127¼	127¼
4	Miss'ri Kan. & Texas	4	4
51¼	Do. 2nd 4% G. Bs.	49	49
	Missouri Pacific	6½	6½
107¼	N.Y. Cen. & Hudson R.	103½	102½
132½	Norfolk & Westn. Com.	126	126½
141½	Do. Con. Bds.	135*	135*
27½	Ontario & Western	26½	26
59¼	Pennsylvania Shares	56½	56½
98½	Reading Shares	94½	93½
44½	Do. Preferred	42½	42½
100½	Do. 4% Mort.	95¼	
23½	Southern Railway	22	22½
70½	Do. Preferred	67	66½
101½	Southern Pacific	97¼	97
142½	Union Pacific	136½	135½
86½	Do. Preferred	82½	82½
14½	Wabash New	13½	13½
51½	Do. Preferred A	49½	49½
139½	New York Cons. Gas	133	133½
90½	U.S. Steel Common	86½	86½
123½	Do. Preferred	117½	117½
	Silver Commerc'l Bars	63½	63½

* asked. † ex div. ‡ 50 dols. par basis.

The London parity prices are quoted at the current rate of exchange, but no account is taken of the cost of insurance.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Call Money	2 bid 2¼ ask	2 bid 2¼ ask
Ex. on London, 60days' sight	4.71.50	4.71.50
Cable Transfers	4.76.50	4.76.43
Ex. on Paris, sight	5.90½	5.90½
Ex. on Berlin, sight	72	71¾
Cotton, Middling, Upland	13.15	13.25
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	11.90	11.90
Petroleum, Standard, White	8.95	8.95
Petroleum, Pipe Line Certs.	2.60	2.60
Spirits of Turpentine	45¼	45¼
Lard, Prime Western Steam	13.15	13.07½
Tallow, Special	8¼	8¼
Sugar Centrifugal (duty paid)		
Corn, Western No. 2 Mixed	91¼	92¼
Wheat, Spring, No. 1, Northn	139	142¼
Do. No. 2 New	130¼	134¼
Coffee, Rio, No. 7	9½	9½
Flour, Spring Wheat, Clears New	5.30 5.40	5.30 5.40
Iron, No. 2 Northern Foundry		
Tin, Straits	38.25 asked	38.25 asked
Copper, Electrolytic, nearby and later	24 27	24 27
Freight, Grain, steamers to Liverpool, per bushel	15.1	15.1
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	16.1	16.1
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	100c.	100c.
PHILADELPHIA.		
Petroleum, Standard White	8.95	8.95
NEW ORLEANS.		
Cotton, Middling	13.00	13.06
SAVANNAH.		
Spirits of Turpentine	42½ 42½	42½ 43

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, THURSDAY.

WHEAT strong for spot. CORN—Spot strong.

COFFEE advanced on favourable Brazilian market news, but partially declined on realising, and closed steady. Spot steady.

	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	8.45	8.62

COTTON advanced on encouraging cables, bullish private crop advices, and foreign buying, and closed steady. Spot steady, 10 points up.

Receipts—Atlantic, 5,000; Gulf, 3,000. Exports—Britain, 20,000; Continent, 4,000.

	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
To-day	—	13.07	13.20	13.26	13.33	13.43	13.49	13.53
	Mar.	Apl.	May.	June.				
	13.63	13.69	13.76	13.78				
Prev.day	—	12.95	13.03	13.09	13.16	13.27	13.32	13.40
	13.48	13.54	13.61	13.64				

COTTON OIL easy and unchanged to 10 points lower. Spot, 9; September, 9.5.

PETROLEUM—Refined steady. TALLOW weak, ¼c. down. TIN quiet. IRON and COPPER steady. FLOUR firm. SUGAR steady. LARD—Cash market easy, 7½ points cheaper.

CHICAGO, THURSDAY.

WHEAT opened strong, 3½c. to 4½c. higher, on the crop news from Canada and the North-West, active covering of shorts, and sensational reports of damage by rust to the crops in the North-West. The advance was assisted by unfavourable European crop news, bullish Liverpool cables, commission house buying for North-West account, millers buying, adverse Argentine reports, strength in the North-West, higher cash markets, export business, bullish cables, and covering of shorts. Part of the gains were lost later owing to larger interior receipts, and advices of cooler weather in the North-West; but the close was steady at 4c. to 3¾c. gain.

	July.	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	121⅝	123¼	126¼
Previous day	117⅝	119⅜	122⅞

MOVEMENTS OF GRAIN (IN THOUSANDS).

	This Year.	Last Year.	New Season.	Last Season.
WHEAT.				
Receipts—Western Ports	1768	1155	23400	17708
CORN.				
Receipts—Western Ports	597	371	16314	13873

CORN opened strong, 1⅛c. to ⅜c. up, and improved. There was a partial setback later, and the market closed steady, 1c. to ⅜c. higher.

	July.	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	83⅜	78⅞	68⅛
Previous day	82⅜	78⅛	68

OATS firm, ⅜c. to ⅝c. up.

	July.	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	41⅝	41½	43⅞
Previous day	41¼	41	43⅜

PROVISIONS opened steady, but soon declined owing to the disappointing cash demand and selling by packers and professional operations. The market closed easy, with lard 5 to 12½ lower, pork 5 up to 17½ down, and ribs 5 points cheaper.

LARD—

	July.	Sept.	Oct.	Dec.
To-day	12.60	12.62½	12.62½	12.30
Previous day	12.65	12.70	12.70	12.42½

PORK—

	July.	Sept.
To-day	26.30	24.62½
Previous day	26.25	24.80

RIBS—

	July.	Sept.
To-day	13.37½	13.37½
Previous day	13.42½	13.42½

BACON easier at 5 points fall. Receipts of hogs at 15 principal Western centres, including Chicago, since March 1st, total 10,860,000, against 10,675,000 last year. To-morrow's receipts of hogs at Chicago are estimated at 17,000.

HOGS firmer; light sorts are 10 to 2½ points higher, and heavy 5 points up to unchanged.

	Short Rib Sides.	Drysalted, loose.	HOGS. Light.	Heavy.
To-day	13.07½	13.67½	9.45 10.12½	9.05 10.12½
Previous day	13.12½	13.72½	9.35 10.10	9.00 12.10½

Receipts—Western 81,000, last year 77,000; Chicago 16,000, last year 24,000.

ATTEMPTED MURDER IN A CHURCH.

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OTHER BUSINESS DONE—11.45 o'clock.

Australia (Commonwealth of) 5½ p.c. Conv. Bonds, 1920-22 ... †99⅞
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Dunlop Rubber Co. Pref. ... 20/10
Johannesburg Consolidated Investment ... 17/3
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of Canada ... 10/9
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LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed July 13th, 1916) 6 p.c.

There was a good demand for loan accommodation in the open market, but the rate for overnight advances, after being quoted 4½ to 5 p.c., showed more disposition to fall away at the close than for some days past. Weekly fixtures were again quoted at 4½ to 5 p.c. Over three-quarters of a million was disbursed in various dividends, mainly upon bank securities. There were again few offers in the Discount market, and quotations were easier in tone, especially for three months' drafts, though the showing made by the Bank return was not helpful. Two months' Bank drafts were quoted at 5⅝ to 5½ p.c., three months' at 5⅜ and six months' at 5⅜ to 5½ p.c. There was no change in the posted quotations for commercial paper. The Bank of England transacted a good business in Treasury bills, and a small business in Exchequer Bonds at the usual rates. The New York exchange held steady at 4.76⅞.

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4 months	5⅜ 5½	p.c.		...	6⅛ 6½	p.c.
6 months	5⅜ 5½	p.c.		...	4½ 5	p.c.
Loans to bill brokers	day-to-day				4½ 5	p.c.
do.		for a week			4½ 5	p.c.
Last rate fortnightly loans to stockbrokers					5	p.c.
Deposit allowance: Banks					4	p.c.
do.		Discount Houses at call			4½	p.c.
do.		do. at notice			4¾	p.c.

There was further buying on Indian and Mint account in the Silver Market, and the quotation for spot bars rose ⅛d. to 30⅛d. per oz., the close being steady at the improvement.

The Bank of England announced the purchase of £35,000 in bar gold.

On 'Change yesterday rates on Italy, Russia, Scandinavia, and Switzerland moved in favour of this country. Dutch currency slightly improved in value.

The following foreign exchange rates were current yesterday:—New York cables, 4.76⅛ to 4.76⅞; Paris, 28.12 to 28.14; Amsterdam, 11.50½ to 11.51½; Italy, 30.74 to 30.84; Scandinavia, 16.60 to 16.70; Petrograd, 156½ to 157½; Rio, 90 days' bills, 12⅝d.; Buenos Ayres, ditto, 48⅛d.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

WEEK ENDING JULY 26, 1916.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£72,802,760	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Sec'ties	7,434,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	54,352,760
	£72,802,760		£72,802,760

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£42,188,131
Rest	3,370,643	Other Securities	75,219,090
Public deposits	52,989,880	Notes	36,757,730
Other	85,241,272	Gold & Silver Coin	2,023,251
7-day & other Bills	33,407		
	£156,188,202		£156,188,202

Compared with last week:—

	Increase. £	Decrease. £
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	84,790	
Public Deposits	—	5,078,198
Other Deposits	—	1,201,778
Government Securities	—	54
Other Securities	—	5,569,262
Bullion	—	575,122
Rest	44,171	
Reserve	—	559,912

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities, 28 % against 27.3 % last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other bills)	£36,045,630	£33,531,335	£29,706,350
Public Deposits	52,989,880	177,636,201	12,713,217
Other do.	85,241,272	95,540,497	54,418,908
Gvt. Sec'ties	42,188,131	53,157,910	11,005,126
Other do.	75,219,090	192,195,214	47,307,530
Reserve of notes & coin	38,780,981	45,825,165	26,875,194
Coin and bullion	56,376,011	60,906,500	38,131,544
Reserve to Liabilities	28 p.c.	15½ p.c.	40 p.c.
Bank Rate	6 p.c.	5 p.c.	4 p.c.
Consols	—	65⅛	69¼
Bar Silver	—	22⅝d.	23⅝
Clearing-house return	£288,665,000	£332,781,000	£337,450,000

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET VERY FIRM.

Market very firm. Sunbeams rose 2/-. Rovers up to 48/-. Parent Tyre Deferred easier. Humbers firm.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Austin Pref.	17	7½	Rudges	34	3
Belsize	33	3	Star	19	1½
Calcotts	30	6	Singers	60	6
Darracq	25	9	Sunbeams	77	0
Dennis	32	0	Swifts	22	6
Enfields	34	6	Triumphs	75	0
Gladiators	5	0	Parent Ord.	21	3
Do. Pref.	18	0	Do. Def.	24	10½
Humbers	14	6	Dunlop Rubbers	50	0
Do. Pref.	18	3	Do. Pref.	20	10½
Premiers	1	3	Small Arms	45	0
Rolls Royce	46	9			

COMPANY NOTICES.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the above Company, at their meeting to-day, declared an Interim Dividend on the Consolidated Preference Stock of the Company at the rate of Four per cent. per annum for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1916, and have resolved that such Dividend be paid (less Income Tax) on the 4th of September, 1916.

R. D. GRIFFITH, Secretary.

Secretary's Office, Westland Row Station, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.

BANK OF IRELAND,
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A General Court of Proprietors of Bank Stock will be held at the Bank on MONDAY NEXT, the 31st inst., at one o'clock precisely, agreeably to Charter, to receive the Report from the Court of Directors for the Half-year ended 30th ulto., and to declare a Dividend.

By Order,
THOMAS R. LANPHIER, Secretary.

THE AMERICAN MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED IRREGULAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, THURSDAY.

Stocks opened lower, with Alcohols, Petroleums, Munitions, and Motors showing recessions. At midday trading became almost motionless, but prices again declined with further selling of Rails. The market closed irregular, Government Bonds and Railroad Bonds irregular.

Losses—Baltimore Ohio Prefd., Lehigh Valley Shares, and New York Consolidated Gas, ½; Canadian Pacific, 1¼; Chesapeake Ohio Common and Illinois Central, ½; Chicago Great Western Prefd. and Denver Prefd., ⅝; Chicago Milwaukee Prefd., 1¼; Chicago North-Western Ord., 1; and Bethlehem Steel Common, 5.

Money steady. Sterling exchange easy. Silver commercial bars ⅛c. up.

CLOSING PRICES.

Eng Parity.	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices Wed.	Thurs.
103⅝	U.S. 2% Funded	98¼	98¼
112⅛	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	104⅜	107⅞
103⅜	Do. Preferred	98½	98½
97⅛	Do. New 4% Gen. Mt.	93	92¾
108⅛	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	103⅜	103
90	Baltimore and Ohio	86⅜	85½
77⅛	Do. Preferred	74	73½
184⅛	Canadian Pacific	177¾	176
99⅛	Chic., Mil., & St. Paul	95½	95
133⅛	Do. Preferred	128⅜	127
178⅜	Chic. & N.W. Pref.	170	170
20¼	Chic., Rock I. & Pacific	20	—
12⅞	Denver & R. Grande	12	12
35	Do. Preferred	34	33½
36⅛	Erie Railroad	34⅜	34⅛
54⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	51⅜	51½
77⅛	Do. Lien Bonds	74	73⅞
107⅛	Illinois Central	102½	102
133⅛	Louisville & Nashville	127⅜	127½
4⅛	Miss'ri, Kan., & Texas	4	4
51⅛	Do. 2nd 4% G. Bs.	49	49*
6⅛	Missouri Pacific	6½	6½
107⅛	N.Y. Ct. & Hudson R.	103⅛	102⅞
132⅛	Norfolk Westn. Com.	126	125½
141⅛	Do. 4% Con. Bds.	135*	135*
27⅛	Ontar. & Western	26½	26
59⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	56⅛‡	56½‡
98⅛	Reading Shares	94‡	93½‡
44⅛	Do. 1st Preferred	42½‡	42½‡
100⅛	Do. 4% Mort.	95⅛	—
23⅛	Southern Railway	23	22½
70⅛	Do. Preferred	67	66⅛
101⅛	Southern Pacific	97⅛	97
142⅛	Union Pacific	136⅛	133⅞
86⅛	Do. Preferred	82½	82⅛
14⅛	Wabash New	13½	13⅛
51⅛	Do. Preferred A	49½	49½
139⅛	New York Cons. Gas	133	133½
90½	U.S. Steel Common	86⅛	86⅛
123⅛	Do. Preferred	117⅜	117⅞
—	Silver Commerc'l Bars	63½	63¼

* asked. † ex div. ‡ 50 dols. par basis.

The London parity prices are quoted at the current rate of exchange, but no account is taken of the cost of insurance.

	Wednesday.	Thursday.
Call Money	2 bid 2¼ ask	2 bid 2½ ask
Ex. on London, 60 days' sight	4.71.50	4.71.50
Cable Transfers	4.76.50	4.76.45
Ex. on Paris, sight	5.90½	5.90⅛
Ex. on Berlin, sight	72	71⅛
Cotton, Middling, Upland	13.13	13.25
Petroleum, Refined, in cases	11.90	11.90
Petroleum, Standard, White	8.95	8.95
Petroleum, Pipe Line Certs.	2.63	2.60
Spirits of Turpentine	43½	43½
Lard, Prime Western Steam	13.15	13.07½
Flour, Special	8¼	8¼
Sugar Centrifugal (duty paid)		
Wheat, Western No. 2 Mixed	91½	92½
Wheat, Spring, No. 1, Northn.	139	142½
Do. No. 2 New	130½	134½
Coffee, Rio, No. 7	9½	9½
Flour, Spring Wheat, Clears New	5.30 5.40	5.30 5.45
Iron, No. 2 Northern Foundry		
Tin, Straits	38.25 asked	38.25 asked
Copper, Electrolytic, nearby and later	24 27	24 27
Freight, Grain, steamers to Liverpool, per bushel	15d.	15d.
Freight, Grain, steamers to London, per bushel	16d.	16d.
Freight, Cotton, to Liverpool	100c.	100c.

PHILADELPHIA.

Petroleum, Standard White	8.95	8.95

NEW ORLEANS.

Cotton, Middling	13.00	13.06

SAVANNAH.

Spirits of Turpentine	42½ 47½	42½ 43

PRODUCE MARKETS.

NEW YORK, THURSDAY.

WHEAT strong for spot. CORN—Spot strong. COFFEE advanced on favourable Brazilian market news, but partially declined on realising, and closed steady. Spot steady.

	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	8.45	8.62

COTTON advanced on encouraging cables, bullish private crop advices, and foreign buying, and closed steady. Spot steady. 10 points up.

Receipts—Atlantic, 5,000; Gulf, 3,000. Exports—Britain, 20,000; Continent, 4,000.

	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.
To-day	—	13 07	13 29	13 26	13 33	13 43	13 49	13 53
	Mar.	Apl.	May.	June.				
	13 63	13 69	13 76	13 78				
Prev. day	—	12 95	13 03	13 09	13 16	13 27	13 32	13 40
	13 48	13 54	13 61	13 64				

COTTON OIL easy and unchanged to 10 points lower. Spot, 9; September, 9.5.

PETROLEUM—Refined steady. TALLOW weak, ⅛c. down. TIN quiet. IRON and COPPER steady. FLOUR firm. SUGAR steady. LARD—Cash market easy, 7½ points cheaper.

CHICAGO, THURSDAY.

WHEAT opened strong, 3⅛c. to 4⅛c. higher, on bad crop news from Canada and the North-West, active covering of shorts, and sensational reports of damage by rust to the crops in the North-West. The advance was assisted by unfavourable European crop news, bullish Liverpool cables, commission house buying for North-West account, millers buying, adverse Argentine reports, strength in the North-West, higher cash markets, export business, bullish cables, and covering of shorts. Part of the gains were lost later owing to larger interior receipts, and advices of cooler weather in the North-West; but the close was steady at 4c. to 3⅛c. gain.

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Previous day	117⅞	119⅞	122⅞

MOVEMENTS OF GRAIN (IN THOUSANDS).

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CORN. Receipts—Western Ports	897	371	16314	13873

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	July.	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	83⅛	79⅛	68⅛
Previous day	82⅛	78⅛	68⅛

OATS firm, ⅛c. to ⅞c. up.

	July.	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	41½	41⅞	43⅞
Previous day	41⅛	41	43⅛

PROVISIONS opened steady, but soon declined owing to the disappointing cash demand and selling by packers and professional operations. The market closed easy, with lard 5 to 12½ lower, pork 5 up to 17½ down, and ribs 5 points cheaper.

LARD—

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Previous day	12.65	12.70	12.70	12.42½

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HOGS firmer; light sorts are 10 to 2½ points higher, and heavy 5 points up to unchanged.

	Short Rib Sides. Dry-salted, loose.		HOGS. Light.	Heavy.
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Thwaites Ord.	161/3	...	...	60/
Thwaites 5% Cm. Pf.	...	...	...	60/
Bagots, Hutton Ord.	55/	65/	...	...
Burke 6% Pref.	70/*	70/	...	...
Burke 6% Debs.	8⅛	8⅛	...	...

* Ex-dividend. † exceptional amount at special price. **Free of stamp duty. Business commences at 12 o'clock noon.

Stock Exchange closed on Saturdays.

OTHER BUSINESS DONE—11.45 o'clock.

Australia (Commonwealth of) 5½ p.c. Conv. Bonds, 1920-22 ...†99⅛
British and Argentine Meat Co., Ltd., Ord. ...19/-19/3
Dunlop Rubber Co. Pref. ...20/10
Johannesburg Consolidated Investment ...17/3
Marconi Wireless Telegraph Co. of Canada ...10/9
†Exceptional amount at special price.

LONDON MONEY MARKET.

Bank Rate (changed July 13th, 1916) 6 p.c.

There was a good demand for loan accommodation in the open market, but the rate for overnight advances, after being quoted 4⅛ to 5 p.c., showed more disposition to fall away at the close than for some days past. Weekly fixtures were again quoted at 4⅛ to 5 p.c. Over three-quarters of a million was disbursed in various dividends, mainly upon bank securities. There were again few offerings in the Discount market, and quotations were easier in tone, especially for three months' drafts, though the showing made by the Bank return was the reverse of helpful. Two months' Bank drafts were posted at 5⅛ to 5⅛ p.c., three months' at 5⅛ to ..., and six months' at 5⅛ to 5⅛ p.c. There was no change in the posted quotations for commercial paper. The Bank of England transacted a good business in Treasury bills, and a small business in Exchequer Bonds at the usual rates. The New York exchange held steady at 4.76⅛.

Bank Rate (Discount) changed July 13, 1916, 6 p.c.

60 days fine	... 5⅛	5⅛ p.c.	Trade	...	6		p.c.
3 months	... 5⅛	p.c.	"	...	6	6⅛	p.c.
4 months	... 5⅛ 5⅛	p.c.	"	...	6⅛	6⅛	p.c.
6 months	... 5⅛ 5⅛	p.c.	"	...	6⅛	6⅛	p.c.
Loans to bill brokers day-to-day					4⅛	5	p.c.
do. do. for a week					4⅛	5	p.c.
Last rate fortnightly loans to stockbrokers					5		p.c.
Deposit allowance:—Banks					3		p.c.
do. Discount Houses at call					4⅛		p.c.
do. do. at notice					4⅛		p.c.

There was further buying on Indian and Mint account in the Silver Market, and the quotation for spot bars rose ⅛d. to 30⅛d. per oz., the close being steady at the improvement.

The Bank of England announced the purchase of £25,000 in bar gold.

On 'Change yesterday rates on Italy, Russia, Scandinavia, and Switzerland moved in favour of this country. Dutch currency slightly improved in value.

The following foreign exchange rates were current yesterday:—New York, cables, 4.76⅛ to 4.76⅛; Paris, 28.12 to 28.14; Amsterdam, 11.50⅛ to 11.51⅛; Italy, 30.74 to 30.84; Scandinavia, 16.60 to 16.70; Petrograd, 156⅛ to 157⅛; Rio, 90 days' bills, 12⅛d.; Buenos Ayres, ditto, 48⅛d.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN.

WEEK ENDING JULY 26, 1916.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£72,802,760	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Secr'ties	7,434,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	54,352,760
	£72,802,760		£72,802,760

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£42,188,131
Rest	3,370,643	Other Securities	75,219,090
Public deposits	52,989,880	Notes	36,757,730
Other	85,241,272	Gold & Silver Coin	2,023,251
7-day & other Bills	33,407		
	£156,188,202		£156,188,202

Compared with last week:—

	Increase.	Decrease.
	£	£
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	84,790	—
Public Deposits	—	5,078,198
Other Deposits	—	1,201,778
Government Securities	—	54
Other Securities	—	5,569,262
Bullion	—	575,122
Rest	44,171	—
Reserve	—	559,912

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities, 26 ⅛% against 27 ⅛% last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1916.	1915.	1914.
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other bills)	£ 36,045,630	£ 33,551,335	£ 29,706,350
Public Deposits	52,989,880	177,636,201	12,713,217
Other do.	85,241,272	95,540,497	54,418,908
Gvt. Scr'ties	42,188,131	53,157,910	11,005,126
Other do.	75,219,090	192,195,214	47,307,530
Reserve of notes & coin	38,780,981	45,825,165	26,875,194
Coin and bullion	56,376,011	60,926,500	38,131,544
Reserve to Liabilities	28 p.c.	16⅛ p.c.	40 p.c.
Bank Rate	6 p.c.	5 p.c.	4 p.c.
Consols	—	65⅛	69⅛d.
Bar Silver	—	22⅛d.	23⅛
Clearing-house return	£ 288,665,000	£ 332,781,000	£ 337,450,000

BIRMINGHAM CYCLE SHARE MARKET VERY FIRM.

Market very firm. Sunbeams rose 5/-. Rovers up to 45/-. Parent Tyre Deferred easier. Humbers firm.

	s.	d.		s.	d.
Austin Pref.	17	7½	Rudges	24	3
Belsize	23	3	Star	19	1½
Calcotts	50	6	Singers	60	6
Darracq	26	9	Sunbeams	77	6
Dennis	32	0	Swifts	22	6
Enfields	34	6	Triumphs	73	0
Gladiators	5	0	Parent Ord.	21	3
Do. Pref.	15	6	Do. Def.	24	10½
Humbers	18	6	Dunlop Rubbers	50	0
Do. Pref.	18	3	Do. Pref.	20	10½
Premiers	1	3	Small Arms	45	0
Rolls Royce	46	9			

COMPANY NOTICES.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY COMPANY.

Notice is hereby given that the Directors of the above Company, at their meeting to-day, declared an Interim Dividend on the Consolidated Preference Stock of the Company at the rate of Four per cent. per annum for the Half-year ended 30th June, 1916, and have resolved that such Dividend be paid (less Income Tax) on the 4th of September, 1916.

R. D. GRIFFITH, Secretary.

Secretary's Office, Westland Row Station, Dublin, 27th July, 1916.

BANK OF IRELAND.

27th July, 1916.

A General Court of Proprietors of Bank Stock will be held at the Bank on MONDAY NEXT, the 31st inst., at one o'clock precisely, agreeably to Charter, to receive the Report from the Court of Directors for the Half-year ended 30th ultimo, and to declare a Dividend.

By Order,
THOMAS E. LANPHIER, Secretary.

LONDON STOCK MARKETS QUIET.

CONSOLS LOWER. HOME RAILS WEAKER.

(FROM OUR FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, THURSDAY.

There was no increase of briskness on the Stock Exchange, and the general appearance of markets was hesitating, the hot weather acting restrictively to some extent. There was some renewal of light realising among gilt-edged securities, but prices did not droop far, though the further weakening of the Bank of England's reserve reflected in the Bank return was an adverse factor in this market. Consols fell ⅛ to 59⅛, while the 3½ p.c. War Loan was also ⅛ down, and the 4½ p.c. Loan receded ⅛ to 96. Indian Government issues were quiet and dull. The Threes fell ⅛ to 60⅛. Bank of England Stock at 21⅛ was a point to the good. Irish Land Stock recovered ⅛ to 56⅛. There were scattered mixed changes ranging up to ⅛ in the Colonial group. No special activity was developed. New Zealand Old Fours met chief attention, but closed unchanged.

Consols	59⅛ — ⅛	Bank of Eng.	213 + 1
French Loan	87⅛	India 3½ p.c.	70⅛
Irish Land 2¾ p.c.	56⅛ + ⅛	do. 3 p.c.	60⅛ — ⅛
War Loan, 1914	88⅛ — ⅛	Port of Lon. 3½ p.c.	101⅛
do. 1915	96 — ⅛		

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Alberta 4½ 1943	86⅛	Quebec 4½, 1954	89⅛
Austrl. Cm'wealth	⅛pm	Q'sland 4, 1940-50	83⅛
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	90	do. 4½, 1920-25	96 — ⅛
Canada 3½, 1930-50	76⅛ — ⅛	Sask'wan 4½, '13	88⅛
do. 4, 1940-60	86⅛ — ⅛	S. Africa 4 Cns.	86 + ⅛
do. 4½, 1920-25	95⅛	do. 4½, 1920-25	95 + ⅛
Cape 3½ Cons.	74⅛	S. A'stri'n 4, '40-60	85⅛
Natal 3⅛, '34	74⅛ + ⅛	do. 5, 1921-23	100⅛
N.S.W. 4, 1942-62	85⅛ + ⅛	Victoria 4, 1940-60	86⅛
do. 4⅛, 1922-27	95⅛	do. 4⅛, 1920-25	96
do. 5, 1921-23	99⅛ — ⅛	W. A'stri'n 4, '42-62	83⅛ + ⅛
N. Zeal'nd 4, '29	89		

ALLIED BONDS STEADY.

In Foreign Government Securities Russians, though firm most of the day, sagged off at the finish, the Fives losing ⅛ at 90⅛. Greek issues were idle. Tintos closed firmly at 60⅛. Enemy issues were inanimate. Japanese Bonds, though rather less active, preserved a good undertone. The Fours were ⅛ better, but the Fives drooped to 92. Chinese quotations recorded a few mixed changes ranging up to ⅛. The 4½ p.c.'s of 1898 gained that fraction at 83. Argentine Bonds were quiet among South Americans, but Brazilian Funding Fives rose to 82 on good support. San Paulo Treasury Bonds remained brisk around par.

Argentine, 1886	96⅛	Italian Rentes	63⅛
do. 4 p.c. Res.	77⅛	Japan 4½ p.c., 1st	93
do. 5 p.c., 1907	86⅛	do. 4½ p.c., 2nd	93
Brazil 4 p.c., 1889	55⅛ + ⅛	do. 4 p.c., 1905	80⅛ + ⅛
do. 4 p.c., 1911	58	do. New 5 p.c.	92 — ⅛
do. 5 p.c., 1914	82 + ⅛	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	55
do. 4 p.c. Res.	54⅛ — ⅛	Peruvian Corp.	4⅛
Chinese 5 '96	83⅛	do. Pref.	24
do. 4½ p.c., '98	83 + ⅛	do. Deb.	83
do. 5 p.c., 1912	78 — ⅛	Portuguese 3 p.c.	55
Egyptian Un.	80⅛	Russian 4 p.c.	71⅛
German 3 p.c.	48⅛	do. 5 p.c., 1906	90⅛ — ⅛
Greek 5 p.c.	55⅛	Spanish 4 p.c.	85
Hungarian 4	62	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	63

HOME RAILS DULL.

In the Home Railway market the Lancashire and Yorkshire dividend was announced at the rate of 3½ p.c. per annum for the half-year, the Metropolitan at 1 p.c. perannum for the half-year, and the North London at the rate of 4 p.c. per annum for the half-year. All these payments are the same as a year ago. Light selling predominated in the Heavy group. North-Westerns at 108⅛ and Midland Def. at 64⅛ were both ⅛ down. Hulls fell ⅛, and Great Northern Def. ⅛. There were other mixed changes of ⅛ to ⅛, but falls predominated. Among Passenger Stocks, Brighton Def. receded ⅛, but the Ord. mended a point to 82. Chatham yielded ⅛, and Great Easterns at 39⅛ were lower by the same fraction. Metropolitans did not vary. South-Eastern A were lower at 29⅛. There were a few falls of ⅛ to ⅛ in the Scotch group, and Caledonian Pref. at 45⅛ were ⅛ down.

Brighton	82 + 1	L. & N.-W.	108⅛ — ⅛
do. "A"	65⅛ — ⅛	Do. 4½ p.c. Pf.	94⅛ + ⅛
Caledonian	54⅛	L. & S.-W.	95
do. Def. Ord.	10 — ⅛	do. Def.	26⅛ — ⅛
do. Pref. Ord.	45⅛ — ⅛	do. New 5 p.c.	101
Cent. London Def.	23	Metropolitan	29
Chatham	9⅛ — ⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	92⅛
do. Pref.	60	do. District	19
do. 2nd Pref.	29 — ⅛	Midland Def.	64⅛ — ⅛
Gt. Central Def.	8⅛ + ⅛	Nth. British Def.	16⅛ — ⅛
Gt. Eastern	39⅛ — ⅛	Nth. Eastern Con.	107⅛ — ⅛
Gt. N. Pref.	75⅛ — ⅛	Do. 4½ p.c. Pf.	95⅛
do. Def.	40 — ⅛	Sth. Eastern Def.	29⅛ — ⅛
Gt. Western	100⅛	do. 5 p.c. Pref.	84
Hull & Barnsley	44⅛ — ⅛	Taff Vale	61⅛
Lancs. & Yorks.	76 — ⅛		

AMERICANS FLAT.

Americans ruled idle and listless throughout. Overnight prices from the other side were rather lower, and the local market showed no tendency to rally, in view of the failure of Wall street overnight to respond to the good Steel dividend. Steel Common reacted 1⅛ to 90⅛. In the Railroad group Readings were also 1⅛ down. There were many other declines of ⅛ to ⅛. Union Pacifics were put back 1 to 142⅛.

Atchison	107⅛ — ⅛	N.Y. Ontario	27⅛
do. Pref.	101⅛ — ⅛	Norfolk	132
Balt. & Ohio	90⅛ — ⅛	Pennsylvania	58⅛
Chesapeake	63⅛ — ⅛	Reading	98⅛ — 1⅛
Chicago Mil.	99⅛	Southern	24⅛
Denver	14⅛ — ⅛	South. Pac.	101⅛
do. Pref.	36⅛ — ⅛	Un. Pacific	142⅛ — 1
Erie	36⅛ — ⅛	Wabash (New)	14⅛
Illinois Central	105⅛ — ⅛	do. Pref. "A"	52
Louisville	133⅛	Inter. Mer. M'rine	24
Missouri, Kan.	4⅛ — ⅛	Do. Pref.	96⅛
Nat. Mexico	6⅛	U.S. Steel	90⅛ — 1⅛
Nat. Mex. 2nd Pf.	7⅛	do. Pref.	121⅛
N.Y. & H. R.	108 + ⅛		

CANADIANS AND PACIFICS STEADY.

Canadian Pacifics see-sawed, but closed unchanged at 189⅛. There were twenty-one transactions in the stock. Grand Trunks hardly varied. The 4 p.c. Debs., however, rose ⅛ to 74⅛.

Mexican Rails were fairly firm, but they marked no quotable gain on the day. There were a few mixed variations among Argentine Rails averaging ⅛. Business was small throughout. United of the Havana rallied ⅛ to 84⅛. The Brazilian group was dull.

Can. Pacific	189⅛	Brazil 6 p.c. Pref.	16
do. Nor. 3½ Db.	74⅛	Brazil 4⅛ Mort.	35⅛
do. 4 p.c. Deb.	62⅛ + ⅛	B. Ayres Gt. Sth.	98⅛ + ⅛
Grand Trunk	12	B. Ayres Pacific	47 — ⅛
do. 4 p.c. Guar.	66	B. Ayres & West.	87⅛ — ⅛
do. 1st Pref.	69⅛	Cen. Argentine Or.	79⅛ + ⅛
do. 2nd Pref.	56⅛	do. 6 p.c. Notes	101
do. 3rd Pref.	20⅛	Central Uruguay	52
do. 4 p.c. Deb.	74⅛ + ⅛	Costa Rica	30⅛
do. Pac. 4 p.c. Bs.	75⅛ — ⅛	Entre Rios	29⅛
Antofagasta Pf. Or.	89	do. 5 p.c. Pref.	65⅛
do. Def.	128	Mexican Rails	17⅛
Do. 5 p.c. Notes	100⅛	do. 8 p.c. Pref.	62⅛
Argentine G. W.	62	do. 6 p.c. Pref.	34⅛
Armavir To'pse.	82⅛	Mex. S. Debs.	37⅛
Bahia Blanca	69⅛	San Paulo	194
do. 4⅛ 2nd Db.	72	Taltal	6⅛
Brazil Rail	8	United Havana	84⅛ + ⅛

RUBBER SHARE MARKET STEADY.

Summer dulness makes the volume of business in the Share market somewhat small, but the tone keeps very hard, and in no direction is there any pressure to sell. The price of plantation rubber is slightly higher on the week at 2/3⅛ per lb. Anglo-Dutch firm. Bandjarsarie changed hands at 29/9 and Bradwall around 29/-. There were buyers of Bukit Mertajam at 4/10⅛, Bukit Sembawang at 3/5, Escot at 5/1, and Highlands at 52/3. Kawi Java were a strong spot at 55/- c.d. upon the dividend announcement of 15 per cent., making 30 per cent. for the year, as against 10 per cent. for the whole of 1914-15. Laras offered at 18/3, but Lanadron were 41/3 bid. Merbau taken at 2/7⅛ and 2/8. Rim Malacca wanted at 25/-. Riverside Selangor done just over 66/-. Straits Bertam 5/1⅛ bid, and United Serdang 12/- bid.

In the Borneo group there were small buyers of Kimanis at 13/6 and of Langkon at 13/4⅛. Lok Kawi changing hands around 13/6 and Sablas up to 17/-. Sapong have been done at 28/3, but a few Sekong offered at 23/9⅛.

Anglo-Dutch	19/- —3d	Malacca	86/3—3/9
Anglo-Java	8/3⅛—⅛d	Malayalam	29/- —3d
Anglo-Malay	11/4⅛—3d	Mapalgama	2/3⅛+⅛d
Bantardawa	19/- +6d	Merlimau	5/1⅛+⅛d
Banteng	49/3+1/9	Perak Plant.	6/3—3d
Batu Tiga	76/6+1/6	Port Dickson	5/0⅛—⅛d
Bekoh	3/7⅛—⅛d	Rani	27/1⅛—1⅛d
Bukit Cloh	5/1⅛+⅛d	R. Est. Johore	43/9+9d
B. Kajang	64/3—1/4⅛	Sapong	28/3+6d
Bukit Rajah	8+⅛	Selangor U.	2/10⅛—⅛d
Carey Unit.	34/4⅛—7⅛d	Sialang	65/- —4⅛d
Chembong	3/8⅛+⅛d	Sing. Para.	3/10⅛+1⅛d
Chersonese	5/- +3d	Soember Ajoe	2/6⅛+⅛d
Dangan	3/0⅛—⅛d	Sungei Kapar	9/1⅛+4⅛d
Dolok	2/3—⅛d	Sungei Choh	65/7⅛—7⅛d
Highlands	53/1⅛+1/3	Tali Ayer	31/1⅛—1⅛d
Java Amal.	34/3—1/3	Tand. Malim	24/4⅛—9d
Johore Rub.	28/9—1⅛d	Tempeh	2/5+1⅛d
Kamuning	3/9⅛+1⅛d	U. Sua Betong	53/9—9d
Kepitigalla	23/- +3d	U. Temiang	3/- +⅛d
Klanang	33/10⅛—4⅛d	Val d'Or	3/2⅛—⅛d
Linggi	20/3+3d	Vallambrosa	17/4⅛+3d
Lon. Asiatic	6/11—2⅛d	Way-Halim	1/8⅛+1⅛d
Lumut	40/10⅛+3d		

OIL SHARES QUIET.

The Oil Share market, though quiet, was steady in tone. Shells finally eased a trifle to 5⅛; the Pref., at 10, however, was ⅛ better. Spies and North Caucasians shed 3d., and Schibaeffs and Lobitos were dullish. The Mexican group was firm.

Anglo-Egypt B.	7/- —6d	N. Caucasian	27/-
Assam	15/3	Royal Dutch	45⅛
Burmah	90/-	Russian Pet.	2/6
Cheleken	6/6	Schibaeff	8/1⅛+3d
Emba Caspian	10/-	Shell	5⅛
Kern River	8/7⅛—3d	Spies	14/1⅛+4⅛d
Lobitos	33/9+4⅛d	Stand. Oil Mex. A	4⅛d
Mex. E. Pf.	36/10⅛+7⅛d	Ural Caspian	35/6+1⅛d

BELFAST STOCK EXCHANGE

BUSINESS DONE:—

Ulster Bank	10⅛
London County and Westminster	15⅛
Coats (J. and P.) Ord.	6⅛
Cowan (Wm.) Ord.	1⅛
Lever Bros. 6 p.c. Cum. C Pref.	21/-
Parent Tyre Co. Def.	25/1⅛
Shell Transport	5⅛ 9/9
Kawie Java Rubber	55/-

†Exceptional amount at special price.

TRAFFIC RECEIPTS.

Increase for week ending July 21.
Grand Trunk Pacific ... £7,752
Decrease for week ending July 22.
Cordoba Central ... £1,980
Increase for week ending July 23.
Argentine Transandine ... £1,090

INDUSTRIALS IRREGULAR.

In the Miscellaneous and Industrial Market, Shipping Shares engaged the chief share of attention. Prince Line rose to 5⅛ at one time, and closed higher on balance at 4⅛. P. and O. Def. rallied 2 to 338, but Royal Mails reacted a point to 128⅛. Furness Withys were 9d. better. Cunards eased to 68/-. Union S.S. of New Zealand was finally 56/6, after being higher. In the Land group, Hudson's Bays rose on the report at first, but afterwards reacted, and closed ⅛ down at 6⅛. Aboukirs shed 6d., and there were one or two other falls of 3d. Brazilian Tractions continued their overnight rise, adding ⅛ at 63⅛. Further realising carried Marconis back 1/- to 62/3, while the Pref. lost 1/3 at 52/6. Supply issues were slow. Liptons added 6d. at 14/9 on light trading, and British Oil and Cake Mills further rose 6d. to 30/9. Coats Ord. reacted ⅛ to 6⅛ in the Textile group. Courtaulds finished well under best at 6⅛. Bank Shares see-sawed, but movements did not average over ⅛.

BANKS.

Agricul. Egypt	9⅛ 0	Lon. W'minster	15⅛†— ⅛
Anglo-Egypt	11⅛	Lon. Joint Stock	21⅛†
A.-South Amer.	6⅛ + ⅛	National	17⅛
Bank Australasia	119	National Egypt	13⅛
Bank N.S.W.	35⅛	National Prov.	31⅛†
Barclay "A"	8 — ⅛	Parr's	30⅛†
Capital & Co.	23⅛ + ⅛	St'dard S. Africa	11
Hong Kong	80⅛	U. Australia	58 — ⅛
Lloyds	25⅛ + ⅛	U. & Smiths	24⅛†
London R. Plate	41⅛ + ⅛		

TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES.

Anglo-Amer. Def.	22⅛	Marconi Americ'n	17/9
Marconi	62/3† —1/0	do. Spanish	10/3
do. Pref.	52/6 —1/3	West India	21/3
do. Canada	10/6		

BREWERIES.

Allsopp Pref. Ord.	3	Guinness	232
do. 5 p.c. Pref.	6⅛	do. Pref.	117⅛
Barnsley	13⅛	Ohlsson's	63/9
Bartholomay	40/0	St. Louis	27/6
do. Pref.	6⅛	do. Pref.	7
Bass Pref.	83	South African	32/0

LAND SHARES.

Aboukir	14/3 — /6	Hudson's Bay	6⅛ — ⅛
Argentine N'th'n	10/0	Nigers	38/3 — /3
do. Southern	35/9	Pekin Synd.	9/3
Brit. N. Borneo	13/6 — /3	do. Shansi	18/9
Forestal	50/0 — /3		

HOME, COLONIAL AND FOREIGN ELECTRIC RAILWAYS AND POWER COMPANIES.

Anglo-Arg. 1st Pf.	76/3	Mexican Trams	27⅛
Brazilian Tract.	63⅛†+⅛	do. Bonds	40⅛
Brit. Col. Elec. Pf.	62	Portland Bonds	80⅛
do. 4⅛% Deb.	74⅛	Sao Paulo Debs.	90⅛
Mex. L't. & Po'r.	19⅛	Shaw. W'ter Db.	82⅛
do. Bonds	49⅛	Toronto P'r, Db.	81⅛
Montr'al St. R. Db.	96⅛	Under. Electric	39/0 — 1/3
Monterey Deb.	29	do. Income Bds.	91

MISCELLANEOUS.

Anglo-Russ. Tst.	—	John Brown	23/3 — /6
Armstrong	37/9	Kent Coal Con.	10/9
A. P'd Cmt.	75/9+ /9	Kynoch	32/6
do. Pref.	6⅛	do. (Arklow)	88⅛
do. 2nd Deb.	82⅛	Lino. Mach. "A"	60⅛
Bovril	21/0	do. "B"	50⅛
do. Def.	7/6	Lipton	14/9 + /6
Brit. Oil Cake	30/9+ /6	do. Pref.	16/8
do. 6⅛% Pf.	19/9	Lyons	90/0
Brunner Mond.	90/0	Maypole Def.	23/9
Cammell Laird.	6⅛	National Explos.	22/0
Cargo Fleet	17/6	Pahang	11/0
Coats	6⅛ — ⅛	Pears	38/3
Cunard Ord.	68/0 — /6	Pease	14⅛
Eastmans	7/9	P. & O. Def.	338 + 2
Furness Withy	30/0 + /9	Rolls-Royce	45/0
Gramophone	24/6	Royal Mail Ord.	128⅛ — 1
Harrod's	70/3	Spratt's	29/0
Home & Col. Pf.	5⅛	S. Durham Steel	31/6
do. 15% Pf.	47/6	Van den Bergh	51/6 — /3
do. 15% Ord.	42/6	Vickers	36/9

TEA SHARES.

Ceylon Plant	6⅛	Empire (£1)	43/-
Chargola (£1)	58/3+3d	Jorehaut (£1)	79/- —6d
Con. T. & L.	18⅛— ⅛	Nedeem	68/-

LONDON MINING MARKET QUIET.

Business among Mines did not expand, and the general aspect of the market was quiet and checkered. Kaffirs see-sawed rather aimlessly, but the Finance group in this section was, on the whole, rather better. Rhodesians and Diamond Shares ruled steady to dull on light trading. Westralians were neglected, and moved uncertainly where they varied. Russians were inclined to rally, and base metal shares were spottily cheerful. The price of copper metal rose 20/- and the price of tin 5/- per ton.

African Farms	⅛ — ⅛	Gold Trust	16/- —3d
Anglo-French	14/- —9d	Heriot New	2⅛ — ⅛
Anaconda	16⅛ — ⅛	Kleinfontein	28/- —9d
Alaska Mex.	1⅛ — ⅛	Knight's	2⅛ — ⅛
Brit. Bkn. H.	23/- —6d	Knight's Deep	1⅛ — ⅛
Bkn. H. Bk. 10	1⅛ + ⅛	Lake View	10/3 —3d
Bkn. H. Props.	59/- +3d	Meyer	6/- —⅛
Burma Corp.	3⅛ — ⅛	Mex. Mines El Oro	3⅛ — ⅛
Bantjes	13/9 —3d	Mysore	4⅛ — ⅛
Cam. and Motor	10/- +6d	Ooregum	21/9 +6d
Chartered	13/3 —3d	Do. Pref.	32/- +1⅛d
Cloverfield	7/3 —3d	Randfontein	13/3 —3d
City and Sub.	1⅛ — ⅛	Do. Cent.	10/- —3d
C. Langlaagte	1⅛ — ⅛	Rand Mines	3⅛ — ⅛
C. Main Reef	19/6 —6d	Rio Tinto	60⅛ + ⅛
Dolcoath	11/6 +6d	Tronoh South	7/6 —3d
East Pool	1⅛ — ⅛	Trans. Coal	3⅛ — ⅛
E. Rand Est.	13/3 —3d	Van Ryn	4⅛ — ⅛
Frank Smith	1/6 —6d	Village	15/- —2/6
Goerz	12/6 —3d	Welgedacht	⅛ — ⅛

MANCHESTER STOCK EXCHANGE.

Textile Market inactive. Official closing prices:—

Bleachers	18/9	19/-	Coats	6⅛	6⅛
Do. Pref.	21/-	21/6	Sewing Cotton	46/6	47/6
Bradford Dy.	35/6	36/9	Do. Pref.	19/9	20/-
Do. Pref.	19/-	19/3	Fine Spinners	29/3	29/6
"Sisboro"	6/-	6/6	Do. Pref.	19/6	19/9
Calico Printers	10/6	10/9	Eng. Velvet	23/-	23/6
Do. Pref.	16/3	16/9	Do. Pref.	18/9	19/3

DIVIDENDS, REPORTS, AND MEETINGS.

DUBLIN AND SOUTH-EASTERN RAILWAY.—The directors of this company, at their meeting yesterday, declared an interim dividend on the Consolidated Preference Stock of the company at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum for the half-year ended 30th June, 1916.

GRAND CANAL CO.—The directors of the Grand Canal Company have declared a dividend for the half-year ending 30th June, 1916, at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary Shares of the company, carrying forward to next half-year a balance of £4,335 17/7, subject to audit.

SCOTTISH WAGGON.—Interim of 3½ per cent.

METROPOLITAN ELECTRIC.—1/- per share on Ord. for the half-year.

B. MORRIS AND SONS.—4 per cent. per annum for six months.

BROKEN HILL PROPRIETARY CO., LTD.—Dividend No. 175 of 1/- per share declared.

ENGLISH VELVET AND CORD DYERS.—Interim on Ord. of 3 per cent. actual.

ANDREW KNOWLES AND SONS.—8 per cent. per annum (7.68d. per share).

GENERAL HYDRAULIC POWER.—4 per cent. per annum.

"ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS AND SKETCH."—5 per cent. per annum on Ord.

JOSHUA PERKINS AND SONS (1909).—1/- per share on Ord., free of tax.

HAINE STEAMSHIP.—Final dividend of £2 10/- per share, making 35 per cent. for the year.

THRELFALLS BREWERY.—10 per cent. per annum on Ord.

DUTTON'S BLACKBURN BREWERY.—Dividend on the Pre-Pref. Shares for half-year at rate of £4 per cent. per annum.

BELGRAVIA DAIRY.—Final of 1 per cent., making 3 per cent. for the year.

SWAN BREWERY, PERTH, W.A.—2/- per share on Ord.

CITY OF ABERDEEN LAND ASSOCIATION.—Interim at rate of 10/- per share.

WERGUI CROWN.—Final at rate of 10 per cent. (actual), making 20 per cent. for the year.

KAWIE (JAVA).—5 per cent. (actual), less tax, for the year.

WAIHI GOLD.—Interim of 1/- per share, free of tax.

SHAHDARA (DELHI) SAHARANPUR LIGHT RAILWAY.—Dividend Rs.3 per share, equal to 6 per cent. per annum.

HUDSON'S BAY CO.—Distribution on the Ord. capital of 5 per cent. in respect of the receipts on the land department.

NORTH LONDON RAILWAY.—The North London dividend is 2 per cent. for the half-year, or at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum. A year ago the distribution was the same.

BRISTOL WATER WORKS.—Intermediate dividends for the half-year at the rate of £8 per cent. per annum on Ord. and £5 12/- per cent. per annum on the 7 per cent. Maximum Consolidated Ord.

HUNTER, BARR, AND CO., LTD.—The directors of Hunter, Barr, and Co., Ltd., have declared an interim dividend of 2½ per cent., less tax, on the Ordinary Shares. This is the same as last year.

UNITED ALKALI CO., LIVERPOOL.—The directors announce interim dividends of 7/- per share on the Preference Shares and of 1/- per share on Ordinary Shares, both less tax.

MOUNT STUART DRY DOCKS.—The directors announce a final dividend on the Deferred Ordinary Shares, making 7 per cent. for the year, while £28,928 is carried forward.

EASTERN SMELTING CO., LTD.—The company have declared an interim dividend on the Pref.-Ord. Shares at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

CHAMPION REEF GOLD MINING CO. OF INDIA.—A second interim dividend of 3d. per share, less income tax, at the rate of 4/9 in the £, declared.

LANCASHIRE AND YORKSHIRE RAILWAY.—The directors of the Lancashire and Yorkshire Railway announce a dividend at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum. The distribution is the same as a year ago.

METROPOLITAN RAILWAY.—The interim dividend of the Metropolitan Railway is at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the Ordinary and at the rate of 2½ per cent. per annum on the surplus Land Stock. These are the same rates as a year ago.

GREAT CENTRAL RAILWAY.—At a meeting of the directors held yesterday the interim revenue statement for the half-year ending June 30th, 1916, was submitted, and it was resolved to pay interest for the half-year on all Preference Stocks down to and including the Four per cent. Preference Stock, 1889, carrying forward a balance of about £14,000 to the next half-year. Payment of such interest will be made on South Yorkshire Rent Charge Stocks on August 15th; other stocks on August 24th.

YORK STREET FLAX SPINNING CO., LTD.—Sir William Crawford presided at the annual meeting of the York Street Flax Spinning Co., Ltd., held yesterday at the offices, 87 Henry street, Belfast. The report of the directors for the year ended 30th June was as follows:—The profits, after deducting interest paid on Debenture stock and allowing for bad debts and for excess profits duty, amount to £73,023 16/3; add balance of last profit and loss account, £27,709 1/7, making £100,732 17/10. Deduct sundry expenses, £11,563 10/6, leaving £89,169 7/4. To be applied to pay dividends—On Preference capital, £15,000; on Ordinary capital, £24,000—£39,000. To reserve fund, £10,000; capital reserve fund, £10,000—£20,000—£59,000. Leaving to be carried to new profit and loss account, £30,169 7/4. From this statement it will be seen that, in addition to the interim dividends paid on 31st January last, the directors propose to pay dividends at same rates for the half-year ended 30th June—viz., at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum (6/- per share on the Preference capital, and at the rate of 8 per cent. per annum (20/- per share), free of income tax, on the Ordinary capital. The retiring directors, Messrs. William Chaine and Robert T. Martin, were re-elected, and Messrs. Ashworth, Mossley, and Co., the company's auditors, reappointed.

THE NATIONAL BANK.

SHAREHOLDERS' MEETING.

PROSPEROUS INSTITUTION.

AN IRISH BOARD TO BE FORMED.

Yesterday the ordinary general half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the National Bank, Limited, was held at the head office in Ireland, College Green, Dublin, for the purpose of receiving the directors' report and statement of accounts for the half-year ended June 30th, 1916, and to elect two directors in the place of Earl Fitzwilliam and Mr. P. P. O'Reilly, resigned. The dispute between some of the shareholders and the Board as to the election of directors has been satisfactorily settled, and at the close of the meeting the shareholders dispersed expressing their pleasure at the amicable solution arrived at. They were all well pleased with the dividend, 10 per cent., which was ordered to be paid.

Sir John Purcell, K.C.B., presided, and the other directors present were:—Mr. James Blackadder Meers, C.B. (Deputy Chairman), Right Hon. Alex. M. Carlisle, D.L.; Sir Douglas F. R. Dawson, Sir Thomas H. Grattan Esmonde, M.P.; the Earl of Kenmare, C.V.O.; Mr. Thos. P. Morrissey, J.P.; Mr. R. Barry O'Brien, LL.D., and Mr. P. W. Stafford, LL.D.

Also present:—

Mr. A. Lockyer, Secretary; Sir Robert Gardner, Auditor; S. J. Toole, Chief Inspector. Shareholders—Allen, Chas. D.; Alton, J. Poë; Ashe, Jas.; Bailey, J.; Birks, H. W.; Blake, Agnes; Bolger, John; Briscoe, H.; Bunyan, C.; Bunyan, Mary A. (Miss); Butler, J. P.; Byrne, M. W.; Carey, W. B. (Athlone); Carlisle, A. M. (Right Hon.); Carpenter, Thos.; Clanchy, A. F.; Clery, A. J. (Galway); Conlan, Ellen M.; Cormick, Wm.; Creane, Philip; Cregan, Jas.; Cregan, E.; Culliton, Louis; D'Arcy, John; Davis, R.; Dawson, W. J.; Donegan, Wm.; Doyle, Chas. F.; Doyle, J. D.; Duffy, H.; Duggan, R.; Egan, B. M. (Mrs.); Fagan, J.; Fanning, F. A.; Farrell, J.; Farrell, L. (Mrs.); Fitzgerald, Thos.; Fitzmaurice, F.; Gartlan, Chas. A.; Galwey-Foley, E.; Gardiner, R. G.; Gore, John; Griffin, Kathleen; Guilbride, G.; Gninan, K.; Hall, J. W.; Hanly, John; Hayes, P.; Hayes, W. H.; Higginson, C. F.; Hogan, T.; Hughes, Ed.; Humphrey, C. D.; Jennings, J. B.; Jordan, E. M., J.P.; Joyce, W. B.; Keane, E. T.; Kearns, J.; Kelly, Jas.; Kennedy, C.; Kennedy, Thos.; Kenny, C. H.; Leanon, Mrs.; Lord, Margaret; Mahony, D. A.; Mahony, R.; Mahony, T. J.; Manning, A. S.; Markey, N.; Martin, C. O.; Middleton, J.; Moynihan, T.; Murphy, A.; Murphy, Geo. E.; Myles, Josephine; McAuliffe, M. A. (Miss); McCann, Michael; MacCarthy, F.; MacDonald, D.; M'Kenna, John; MacMahon, W.; MacSwiney, H.; Neligan, J. B.; Nolan, John; Nugent J. H.; O'Brien, T.; O'Bryen, W.; O'Carroll, D.; O'Connell, Sir J. R.; O'Gorman, P.; O'Shaughnessy, M.; Page, Wm.; Power, J. J.; Power, M. J.; Purcell, T. P.; Quinn, C.; Riordan, T.; Ryan, J. J.; Saunders, F. W.; Scroope, H.; Sharkey, J. J., J.P.; Sharpe, R. V.; Smithwick, R. H.; Stafford, John; Smyth, A.; Swift, Wm.; Taylor, T.; Taylor, J. J.; Thomas, G. W.; Thompson, J.; Tully, J.; Tucker, J. O.; Turner, V.; Tuthill, W.; Tutty, P.; Walsh, John; White, P. K.; Wilson, Ed.; Whitfield, R.

The directors' report contained the following:

1. The profit and loss account for the half-year ended the 30th June, 1916, including £23,494 5s. 10d. brought forward from the 31st December last, shows a balance of £108,133 1s. 4d. available for distribution.

2. The board have declared a dividend for the past half-year at the rate of 10 per cent., per annum, or 10s per share (£10 paid)—payable, less income tax, on and after Saturday, the 29th instant.

3. The dividend absorbs £60,000, leaving a balance of £48,133 1s. 4d. to be dealt with. Of this amount £25,000 has been carried to the special reserve for depreciation in investments; and £23,133 1s. 4d. has been carried forward to profit and loss new account.

4. Notwithstanding the continuance of the war and the financial unsettlement arising therefrom, there is happily no further depreciation in this bank's non-terminable investments as taken on the 30th of June. They remain practically covered by the £90,000 which was placed to the credit of the special reserve for depreciation; and it will be seen that the board have now added to this fund £25,000, bringing it up to £115,000, so as to provide for future contingencies.

Mr. A. Lockyer, Secretary, having read the notice convening the meeting, the report of the directors was taken as read.

CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT.

The Chairman, in proposing the adoption of the report and the balance sheet, said he thought the report would be considered not unsatisfactory, having regard to the times through which they were passing. In spite of the disturbance of business caused by the war the National Bank continued to maintain a position of very considerable strength, and of stability of no small order. At their meeting six months ago he explained that their investments were held in high-class securities and stocks, and in regard to the half-year with which they were now dealing there had been no further depreciation of their non-terminable stocks. The exact figure of depreciation was £91,000, and that was, in effect, covered by the £90,000 actually standing to the credit of the reserve fund, which had been set up to meet contingencies. They now added £25,000 out of the past half-year's profits, thus bringing the Reserve Fund to £115,000.

THE BALANCE SHEET.

Turning to the balance sheet the Chairman referred to the principal items. The "Rest" had gone up by £40,000 to £500,000. Notes in circulation showed an increase of nearly £345,000, due to activity in business, more especially among the farming classes. Deposits and current accounts were up by £1,300,000, arising mainly from the fact of their having a special deposit of large amount and of temporary character in their London office. £300,000 of the increase arose out of Irish business. Acceptances to bankers' drafts showed an increase of £165,000. On the assets side there was an increase of "Cash in hand" of £287,000; a fall of £44,000 in "Money at call," due to restriction on Stock Exchange business. There was an increase of £1,672,000 in Government Securities, due to their subscriptions to the War Loan, and a decrease of £63,000 in Corporation Stocks. Advances on securities had gone up by £111,000, and bills discounted had fallen by £239,000. Summarising the totals, it would be seen that their aggregate means stood at the large figure of £21,466,000, thus showing an improvement upon the year of £1,895,000, whilst their liquid assets gave a proportion of over 56 per cent. as against their liabilities to the public payable on demand. They were paying the usual dividend of 10 per cent., and they transferred £25,000 to the special reserve fund for depreciation. They carried forward £23,133. He submitted that the shareholders had reason to congratulate themselves upon the outcome of the operations of the bank for the past half-year. (Applause.)

EXCESS PROFITS TAX.

The Board had been threatened with legal proceedings with regard to excess profits. The Government authorities sought to create excess profits by seeking to charge the bank with six per cent. interest on the amount of their subscriptions to the War Loan, maintaining that the Bank had diminished its capital by so doing. They were told that the case of the National Bank would be made a test case. Thereupon he (the Chairman), having the great advantage of being on the Committee of the London Clearing Bankers, approached other banks through that Committee, with the result that the Chancellor of the Exchequer was seen, and arrangements were made which would absolve this bank from any question of excess profits duty, and would also enable them to obtain relief in respects of their loss on Consols and Annuities. (Hear, hear.) That action of the directors had saved the bank from payment of a sum that would run into thousands. (Applause.)

FIVE YEARS' PROGRESS.

When he, five years ago, succeeded to the high position of Chairman of this bank, the "rest" was £400,000. It was now £500,000. In 1911 their total means stood at £16,765,000; they were now £21,466,000—an increase of £5,000,000. In 1911 their investments stood at £2,435,000; they were now £4,628,000—an increase of £2,200,000. Their current and deposit accounts stood at £13,161,000; they were now £16,573,000—an increase of £3,400,000. The number of their clients in 1911 was 94,000; they were now well over 100,000. Their shareholders then numbered 7,000; now they were well over 7,400. The number of their officers in 1911 was somewhat below 700; they were now 880. Of that number 135 were on military service, and all of those in the ranks were in receipt of military pay. During the quinquennial period the directors had not been unmindful of their staff, for an improvement had been made in the salary of every grade. In 1911 salaries and pensions amounted to £124,000; they were now £131,000. (Applause.) He believed that this record of the transactions of the bank over the past five years would be viewed with satisfaction by the shareholders. (Applause.)

BANK'S LONDON BUSINESS.

Referring to the question of the bank employing portion of its money in London—a question which had been recently commented upon in the public Press—he wished the shareholders to remember that their bank was a business concern, and must, in the interest of its proprietors, be run on business lines. The bank was founded by O'Connell to foster Irish industries, and especially the farming industry. He had never known a case in which the bank hesitated or failed to lend assistance to Irish businesses within proper banking limits, but he should tell the shareholders that if their surplus moneys were not employed in London, their dividend of 10 per cent. could not possibly have been earned and paid as it had been for many years past. It was necessary for the bank to secure a yearly profit of not far from half a million to pay the dividend, working expenses, and other liabilities inseparable from their business. That could not be accomplished by their Irish business alone, and he asked the shareholders to apply their careful thought to the difficulties which he directed their serious attention. There was not a bank in Ireland which did not, as the National did, employ some of its surplus money through the London market. The largest proportion of their resources drawn from Ireland was, at the present time, employed by way of loan or overdraft to Irish customers for developing or carrying on their businesses. The proportion in their case was, he ventured to say, as large and, in some cases, larger than in the case of any other Irish bank. A small portion (a little over one-tenth) was employed on the London market at considerable profit and practically no risk, whilst the remainder was held at call or invested in first-class securities, and formed a portion of the liquid assets of the bank. They should also bear in mind that the profits made in England went to swell the dividends of the Irish shareholders, the number of shareholders in England being practically negligible. Twelve months ago he told them that a sum more than equal to the half-year's dividend then paid had been earned in Old Broad street, largely, of course, with English money. He told them the same now, and he desired to impress upon them the necessity for cultivating and promoting their London business if they wished to maintain their dividend. (Applause.)

HARVEST PROSPECTS.

The period under review had been one of unprecedented prosperity for Irish farmers, and the prospects of the coming harvest were particularly bright. Trade outside the City of Dublin had not been much affected by the war, and the great prosperity now enjoyed by the farming classes must presumably prove of advantage to country traders. The recent disturbances in the City of Dublin, and the great destruction of property caused thereby, had an injurious effect on the trade of the city. He was advised that the licensed and building trades were much depressed.

CO-OPTION OF DIRECTORS.

In April last Lord Fitzwilliam and Mr. Percy P. O'Reilly placed their resignations in the hands of the board, as they felt they could not pay such regular attention to the duties of their office as was needed at a juncture when banking and financial matters had, owing to the war and surrounding circumstances, become of an especially pressing character. These resignations left it open to the directors to co-opt two large shareholders to fill the vacant seats; and feeling, as he did feel, that it was most desirable to strengthen the board by the appointments of men who, by reason of their business experience and aptitude, their knowledge of affairs, their standing and general qualifications, he submitted to his colleagues that the Right Hon. Alexander Carlisle and Mr. T. P. Morrissey should be co-opted. The method provided by the Deed of Settlement for filling up vacancies in the directorate was:—"That upon any vacancy in office of Director, except that on going out by rotation, the Court of Directors may fill up the vacancy, provided it be at least thirty days before the then next Annual General Meeting." In a word, the directors took the initiative as empowered by the Deed of Settlement, and the shareholders said the last word. The directors were prepared to admit that the election and confirmation of the election of directors in London, as enjoined by the Deed of Settlement, involved a certain disability as regards the Irish shareholders, who were the large majority; and to remedy this the board had decided upon taking steps for an alteration in the Deed of Settlement on this head, so that, in future, these functions should take place in the City of Dublin. (Applause.) In another direction the board had been approached by certain shareholders to take steps to further alter the Deed of Settlement to the end that a permanent Board of Directors should sit in Dublin. (Applause.) Having regard to the course of events in Ireland and to the developments that may take place he himself held the view that some arrangement of this character would be advisable so that certain matters may be dealt with on the spot. He saw, however, considerable difficulty in carrying out the arrangement, as it must involve dual control; and the difficulties were, he felt, not fully appreciated. At the private conference, held on Tuesday, a fair approach was made towards dealing with this matter, and he ventured to think that the decision arrived at for the appointment of a committee, consisting of certain members of the board and of certain representative shareholders, to consider the whole question in detail would lead to a satisfactory conclusion on business lines. (Hear, hear.)

PROMOTION FOR THE STAFF.

For a long time past the slowness of promotion amongst their staff had been pressed upon them by a number of leading shareholders, as well as by a section of deserving and valuable officers of lengthened service. The directors had long recognised this hardship, but the difficulty of facing the position always lay in the increased charge for pensions that that would involve. Twelve months ago, however, they decided that some action must be taken, and that a remedy must be applied by the introduction of an age limit. That limit they had placed at 65, with the power of extending the same should it be deemed advisable in the interests of the bank. In the course of the past half-year they had retired eight senior officers under this regulation. In conclusion, he felt that it was only right and proper that he should convey to the staff of the bank his own feelings and those of his colleagues, that a debt of gratitude was due to them by the proprietary of the bank for their loyal services during the past anxious year. In the circumstances the Board felt that they would have the approval of the shareholders when they announced that, to mark their sense of the good work done, they had decided upon allocating to the staff, by way of bonus, a sum of £5,000. (Applause.) This would enable them to give 5 per cent. upon their salaries to every officer receiving £500 a year and under. (Applause.)

Mr. J. Blackadder Meers, Deputy Chairman, seconded the motion for the adoption of the report.

Mr. C. F. Higginson, manager of the London City office, expressed on behalf of the entire staff the thanks which they felt for the generous words which the Chairman had spoken. As senior manager of the bank, he was glad to be able to bear witness, in his native city, to the unswerving loyalty of the staff during those years of difficulty and excitement through which they were passing. They fully appreciated the confidence which had been placed in them by the directors and the shareholders. (Applause.)

Mr. Casey (Clonmel), on behalf of the Irish staff, joined in the expression of thanks uttered by Mr. Higginson. He had had fifty years' service in the bank, and, although he had served in several offices, he had never seen a man reduced or dismissed for misconduct. He thought that fact spoke volumes for the character of the staff of the National Bank. (Applause.)

Mr. O'Carroll (Castlecomer) said he thought the bonus of 5 per cent. offered to the staff was entirely too little. He thought it should be made retrospective to the time when the war began, or that it should be increased to 10 per cent. (Hear, hear.) He did not approve of the idea of removing the head office of the bank from London to Ireland. He deprecated the agitation which had lately been going on with regard to the election of directors. (Hear, hear.)

Mr. John J. Ryan (Tipperary) said he was pleased with the statement of the Chairman, but, having regard to the increased cost of living, he thought that the 5 per cent. bonus to the staff was entirely too small. (Hear, hear.)

Sir Robert Gardner, as the shareholders' auditor, said that although the assets of the bank had increased during the last five years the directors could not touch the reserve, and the 5 per cent. bonus to the staff could only be increased by reducing the dividend from 10 to 8 per cent. (Hear, hear, and laughter.)

Mr. John Gore said he was prepared to take an 8 per cent. dividend in order to increase the bonus to the staff, but he thought he could not find ten good men in the meeting to agree with him.

A Shareholder—That's the reason you make the offer. (Laughter.)

Mr. Gore said that he had been receiving 12 per cent. from one bank and 16 per cent. from another bank, and now 10 per cent. from the National Bank, without wetting his fingers to earn it. He looked upon that as absolute robbery of the public, because in any other business men would be content with 6 per cent. They did not pay their men who earned these big dividends for them a salary sufficient to enable them to live in decency. He held that young men of 25 years ought to have a salary that would warrant them in getting married. (Laughter.)

Mr. Birks, who described himself as "from across the Channel," said the Chairman's statement was a model of what such a report should be. The bank had made substantial progress because of the cautious manner in which the directors had conducted the business. They had well looked after the interests of their customers in Ireland without neglecting the interests of the shareholders. (Hear, hear.)

The report was then put to the meeting, and it was declared passed unanimously.

BANK BOARD FOR DUBLIN.

The Right Hon. Dr. Cox moved that the Deed of Settlement be amended and altered so as to provide for the immediate creation of a Board in Dublin. He felt sure that the shareholders would receive this as an important instalment of the programme which they had put forward. (Hear, hear.)

Sir John R. O'Connell seconded the motion. He did not think it was in the mind of any shareholder to interfere with the control of the head office in London, which was the financial centre of the Empire and of the financial world; but many of them felt that there were certain classes of local Irish businesses which could be encouraged better than they had been encouraged by a Board sitting in Dublin—a Board that would be, of course, subsidiary to the head office in London.

The motion was carried unanimously.

Mr. John P. Butler said that, in order to carry out the resolution just passed, and in conformity with the proposals agreed to at the meeting on Tuesday, he had to propose:—"That a committee be appointed, consisting of four directors nominated by the Chairman, and the following shareholders—namely, Sir John O'Connell, Mr. R. J. Kelly, K.C.; Mr. Richard A. Macnamara, Mr. P. J. Brady, M.P., and Mr. John P. Butler—to carry out the arrangements necessary to give effect to the foregoing resolution."

Mr. John Gore seconded.

Sir Thomas Esmonde suggested that the name of Mr. Wilfrid Fitzgerald be added, and, with this amendment, the motion was adopted.

Mr. R. A. Macnamara moved a resolution to the effect that co-option of directors by the Board of Directors be subject to confirmation at a meeting of shareholders in Dublin.

Mr. Wilfred Fitzgerald seconded, and the motion was passed.

THE CASE OF MESSRS. CARLISLE AND MORRISSEY.

The Chairman said—Arising out of the agreed arrangement for the formation of a Board in Dublin, it seems to me right that the confirmation of the election of Mr. Carlisle and Mr. Morrissey, or the election of new directors, should not now be proceeded with. If Sir Thomas Esmonde will withdraw his motion for the election of the three gentlemen named in the report, and, in order to comply with the terms of the deed of settlement, Mr. Carlisle and Mr. Morrissey have placed their resignations in my hands, but on the understanding that they will be again co-opted to the Board after the meeting, to come up for confirmation at the general meeting in July, 1917, by which time it is expected that a Dublin Board will have been formed, and the necessary alteration in the deed of settlement made, as foreshadowed in my opening address.

Mr. R. J. Kelly, K.C., moved that, in view of the approaching appointment of a Board in Dublin, the suggestion of the Chairman in reference to the confirmation of the election of two directors be adopted.

Mr. Butler seconded the motion, and it was passed.

Sir Thomas Esmonde said that nobody was better pleased than he that the difference between the shareholders and the Board was in process of amicable arrangement. He at once, in response to the Chairman's suggestion, withdrew the names of the three gentlemen he had proposed for election. (Applause.)

A Shareholder—They should never have been put forward. ("Order.")

Sir Thomas Esmonde said he thought it would be found that they had that day done an excellent service to the bank, in which all of them were so proud, and in which all of them took a deep interest. (Applause.) The Chairman and the meeting had done most wisely in saying that the confirmation of the election of directors should be carried out in Dublin. (Hear, hear.) They welcomed most heartily the admission of the principle that a local Board should be set up in Dublin. There were some difficulties in the way, but the way to overcome the difficulties was to let the shareholders and the directors discuss them together. He believed they had arrived at a solution of the matter which would be in the best interest of the bank. (Applause.) A great many friends of his in the country had supported him in the action he had taken by sending him their proxies, and he desired to avail of that opportunity to return thanks for their trust in him. He thought the best return he could make was to agree to the amicable arrangement now made, to give it his blessing, and to let bygones be bygones. (Applause.)

Mr. Kelly, K.C., said that as mover of the resolution he desired to acknowledge the handsome manner in which Sir Thomas Esmonde had met it. (Hear, hear.) Mr. Kelly then moved a vote of thanks to the directors for the manner in which they had discharged their duties during the past half-year.

Sir John O'Connell seconded, and the motion was carried.

On the motion of Mr. Gore, seconded by Mr. Kelly, the thanks of the meeting were voted to the staff of the bank for their loyal services.

The Chairman briefly acknowledged the compliments, and the proceedings terminated.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The directors of the Dublin and South-Eastern Railway Company yesterday declared an interim dividend on the Consolidated Preference Stock at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum for the half-year ended June 30, 1916.

On Monday next a general court of proprietors of Bank of Ireland Stock will be held at the Bank in College Green, Dublin, to receive the report from the court of directors for the half-year ended 30th ult., and to declare a dividend.

INSURANCE SHARES.

SALES IN LONDON:—

Alliance New Shares	£11 1/1⅛, 11⅛
City Equitable Fire	14/3
Commercial Union	£28 3/6, 28⅛
General Accident, Fire, and Life	12/6, 13/-
Guardian	9⅛
Indemnity Mutual Marine	15⅛, £12 13/3
Marine	36⅛
Merchants' Marine	5⅛

SALES IN LIVERPOOL:—

Liverpool, London, and Globe	22⅛* 21⅛*
Royal Insurance	28⅛

Stocks marked (*) are for less than £1,000 of stock, or less than a marketable number of shares.

SUMMER ASSIZES.

COUNTY CORK.

Yesterday Mr. Serjeant Matheson, K.C., Commissioner of Assize, and Mr. Justice Ross opened the business of the Cork Summer Assizes. They were received by a guard of honour, supplied by the Royal Dublin Fusiliers. Mr. Serjeant Matheson, attended by the County High Sheriff (Mr. Thomas J. Leahy, J.P.) and the County Sub-Sheriff (Mr. John Gale), opened the Commission for the county. Mr. D. M. O'Connell (Clerk of the Crown and Peace) swore in the Grand Jury as follows:—

Richard Edmond Longfield, D.L., J.P. (foreman); Henry Standish Barry, J.P.; Sampson T. Beamish, J.P.; Henry Braddell, J.P.; Spotswood Bowles, Sir George St. John Colthurst, Bart., D.L., J.P.; Captain Richard W. Cooper, Henry T. Daunt, J.P.; Stephen Grehan, D.L., J.P.; William S. Hunt, J.P.; William N. Leader, D.L., J.P.; Edward Egerton Leigh-White, D.L., J.P.; Hon. Horace G. Lysaght, J.P.; Colonel Anthony Hickman Morgan, D.S.O., D.L., J.P.; James H. Morton, J.P.; John Murphy, D.L., J.P.; Eben. Pike, J.P.; Captain Raymond John Purcell, J.P.; Captain William H. Rushbrooke, D.L., J.P.; Michael M. Russell, Robert Travers, J.P.; James Penrose Welsted, J.P.; Sir Eustace William Wyndham Wrixon Becher, Bart., D.L., J.P.

Mr. Serjeant Matheson said that there were eleven cases to be considered. They were all cases of a more or less serious kind, but self-contained cases incidental to every large community. None of them, so far as he could see, had anything to do with ill-feeling, religious, party, or otherwise, and did not indicate any general disturbance of the peace of the county. The number of specially reported cases was lower than the number for the corresponding period last year. He was glad to notice that there was a falling off in the number of convictions for drunkenness, and, consequently, of the cases of assault which arose out of drink. Altogether he congratulated the Grand Jury on the state of their county.

THE ROYAL IRISH CONSTABULARY.

The Grand Jury handed up the following resolution, proposed by Mr. R. E. Longfield, seconded by Sir Eustace Becher, and passed:—

The Grand Jury of the County of Cork desire to express their high appreciation of the devotion to duty, courage, and ability recently shown under most trying circumstances by officers and men of the Royal Irish Constabulary.

His Lordship said that that was a very proper resolution, and he had great pleasure in receiving it. The Royal Irish Constabulary had always distinguished themselves by their great forbearance, endurance, and intelligence.

BELFAST.

At the Belfast Summer Assizes yesterday, before Lord Justice Molony, Matthew Sands pleaded guilty to having uttered false receipts in 1913-1916; to having made false entries in 1915; and to fraudulent conversion in 1913-1916, while in the position of secretary of the Ephphatha Lodge No. 296 of the British Order of Ancient Free Gardeners, the sums amounting in the aggregate to between £200 and £300. It was mentioned that, with the exception of the accused, all the members of his Lodge were deaf and dumb.

Mr. James Reid made a plea on behalf of the accused, who, he said, had fallen a victim to drink. Sands also made a personal appeal for clemency and mercy.

His Lordship imposed a sentence of ten months' imprisonment in the second division, to date from 18th March, 1916, the day on which he was first remanded in custody.

CHARGE AGAINST A POLICE CONSTABLE.

John J. Anderson was charged with assaulting Samuel Glass, a sergeant in the Royal Irish Constabulary.

Sergeant Glass said that the accused was a constable on duty in Roden street district, and he was looking for him for two hours. When he found him he was drunk, and he abused the witness, and struck him. There was a fight, the accused using his baton, and the witness had to be treated in hospital, and was off duty for five weeks.

In cross-examination, the witness said that he regarded the accused as drunk as a policeman, but admitted that had he been a civilian he would not have summoned him.

The defence was that there was no love lost between the two men, that Glass had been looking for trouble when he went in search of Anderson, that he had exceeded his duty in dealing with him, and that what the accused had done was done in self-defence.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, the announcement being received with applause in the public gallery.

COUNTY MAYO.

At the Mayo Assizes yesterday, before Lord Justice Ronan, a man named Thomas Geraty appealed against a decision decreeing him for £31, for shop goods, in an action brought against him by Mr. Austin McGreal, merchant, Westport.

Cross-examined by Mr. Fetherstonhaugh, Mr. McGreal admitted having written letters to the defendant in the names of Messrs. Kelly and McGonigal, solicitors, Castlebar, threatening him with serious consequences if he did not pay the debt. The witness now expressed his regret for having done so.

The plaintiff relied on a receipt and an I.O.U., alleged to have been signed by the defendant on the 1st June, 1909.

Mr. Fetherstonhaugh pointed out that the stamp on the document was a King George stamp, and that on the 1st June, 1909, His Majesty was only Prince of Wales.

His lordship closely questioned the plaintiff, who persisted in stating that he stamped the document on the date mentioned.

His lordship said that he had much pleasure in allowing the appeal and dismissing the action with costs, and with as much expenses as he could possibly allow.

LONDONDERRY.

ACTION AGAINST A COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Mr. Justice Gibson and a city special jury at the Londonderry Assizes yesterday heard an action brought by three farmers and road contractors—Michael McGuckin, Derrychrin, Eglish, Co. Tyrone; James McGuckin, and John McGuckin, of Ardagh, Co. Londonderry, all brothers—against Mr. Charles L. Boddie, County Surveyor for Londonderry, for £500 damages for alleged libel. The defendant pleaded privilege.

Mr. D. S. Henry, K.C., M.P., and Mr. Maguire (instructed by Mr. Laurence E. Hastings, Magherafelt) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Babington and Mr. Murphy (instructed by Mr. E. M. F. G. Boyle, Limavady) for the defendant.

Mr. Henry stated that the father of the plaintiffs was a road contractor under the Derry County Council, and when he died, on the 6th November last, the plaintiffs carried on the contracts. Mr. McFarlane, Assistant County Surveyor for the Magherafelt district, complained of a shortage of metal. On the 20th December Mr. Boddie published and circulated amongst the members of the Rural District Council of Magherafelt the following report, which was the libel complained of:—

I have to report a serious case of fraud in connection with the materials on first-class road No. 26, from Ballyronan to Coagh. The materials were measured by Mr. McFarlane on the 6th September last, and the road contractor was credited with the value of the materials then measured. Since that date there have been stolen from the road 55½ cubic yards of metal and 11½ cubic yards of stone screenings, the total value being £33 5/-. It is impossible to believe that the representatives of the contractor, who, it is said, died recently, were not privy to this act, and, therefore, I must hold these representatives responsible for the loss of materials and breach of contract. Under the circumstances I don't see my way to certify for any further payment in respect of this contract. Further, the County Council may consider it necessary to prosecute the persons concerned.

Evidence was given for the plaintiffs that there was no shortage.

Mr. Babington asked his lordship to give a direction on the ground of privilege, and that there was no evidence of malice.

His lordship said the occasion was highly privileged, because the County Surveyor was acting on the opinion of a responsible officer, who was not supposed to be in any way subject to malice.

Mr. Babington said defendant was quite willing to withdraw any imputation contained in the report.

His lordship directed the jury to find for the defendant, the latter disclaiming any imputation upon the honesty of the plaintiffs. His lordship also expressed the opinion that the County Council should absolve the plaintiffs from costs, and indemnify the County Surveyor.

CHURCH OF IRELAND.

The position of Deputation Secretary for the Irish Auxiliary to the S.P.G. for the Northern District is now vacant.

The Church of England is about, to some small extent, to make an effort to follow the example of the sister Church of Ireland in making some provision for her aged and disabled clergy. A *minimum* pension of £135 a year for the clergy on retirement at the age of 70. The proposed scheme is to be on a contributory basis—part of the premium to be paid by the clergy, and the remainder by the Diocesan Boards of Finance. Should the scheme, or some modification of it, be adopted, it will be of the greatest help to the Church, not only in providing for the old age of the clergy, but in enabling thousands of them to hand over their work to younger and stronger men, especially in the larger parishes, where arduous work is necessary.

The Diocesan Council of Clogher, at its last meeting, passed unanimously resolutions expressive of the Church people of the diocese at the deaths of the Right Hon. Edward Archdale and of Viscount Crichton (killed in action), who were both earnest Churchmen, and warm and generous supporters of Church work.

The Rev. W. F. Johnstone has been appointed to the Honorary Secretaryship of the Cashel Clerical union, in the room of the Rev. J. D. Forde, who is leaving Ireland.

The curacy of St. Peter's, Drogheda, is vacant by the appointment of the Rev. W. T. Beckerson to an Army Chaplaincy.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The first official act of the new Vice-President of the Conference, Rev. Pierce Martin, has been to issue to all Methodists a call to observe Friday, 4th August, the second anniversary of the declaration of war, as a day of special prayer publicly, privately, and in the family that decisive victory may be granted to the Allies, and that a righteous and lasting peace may soon be concluded.

Rev. Charles S. Greaves, of Limerick, has commenced under hopeful auspices his ministry in Abbey street, Dublin, and Rev. Benjamin B. Morton, late of Moy, has commenced his ministry in Dalkey under similar circumstances.

PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

Potato Blight.—Reports from various districts in South Westmeath state that, as the result of the thunderstorm and excessive rains this week, potato blight has made its appearance. Spraying had been delayed owing to the unfavourable weather.

£3,000 Paid for Pigs.—At the weekly market in Enniscorthy on Wednesday, which is regarded as one of the best markets of the kind in Leinster, a sum of over £3,000 was paid for fat pigs.

The Government and Old Age Pensions.—A resolution from Wexford was adopted at the Enniscorthy Guardians' meeting on Thursday protesting against the threatened withdrawal by the Treasury of old age pensions to persons obliged to seek medical relief in workhouse hospitals. The Master stated that there were thirty such pensioners in the hospital, who paid 4s. 6d. a week each towards the cost of their upkeep.

Threatening to Assault Wounded Soldiers.—For threatening to assault wounded soldiers and for assaulting Police Sergeant Stephens in the execution of his duty, two men named Thomas Allis, labourer, Cappawhite, and Thomas Cremmins, blacksmith, Golden Gardens, were fined 40s. or a month's imprisonment by the Tipperary magistrates on Thursday.

FLYING OFFICER FALLS 150 FEET.

Flight Lieutenant Harry Waters, of the Royal Flying Corps (second son of Mr. George Galway Waters, managing director, Midleton Distillery), has arrived home at Midleton from England, where recently he had a miraculous escape from death. In the course of a training flight the machine in which he was travelling suddenly crashed to earth from a height of 150 feet. Lieut. Waters sustained a fracture of the left arm and injuries to his face and mouth. He is convalescent now, and has been invalided home for a while.

A Wellington (N.Z.) telegram states that the Military Service Bill has passed both Houses of the Legislature. The Governor, replying to a request that he should delay his assent till a petition against the bill has been presented, stated that he must be guided by his constitutional advisers.

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

Boys' Barricades in Streets.—In the Juvenile Court, before Mr. Drury yesterday, eleven boys were charged by Constable Fairbrother (38 A) with maliciously damaging six walls, from numbers 1 to 6 McLean's lane, and with knocking down a lavatory and stealing a ball-cock, the total damage done amounting to £4 10s. Constable Fairbrother said that the boys told him they were playing at soldiers. The lads in McLean's lane represented soldiers, and had made themselves miniature camps, while the others attempted to put them out, and both sides made barricades. Mr. Drury imposed a fine of 1s. and 2s. 6d. costs on each.

Newsboys' Excursion.—By the generosity of Mr. Charles A. James, Washington Hall, Merrion, some 250 newsboys were enabled to enjoy themselves at Booterstown yesterday morning. The excursion was the 26th annual one. The boys took a vigorous part in various games, competitions, and music arranged for them, and after the return to town Mr. James gave a luncheon at the Dolphin Hotel to friends interested in the function. Among the guests were the Lord Mayor and Sir Charles Cameron.

The Recorder's Licensing Order.—At the Kingstown Police Court, before Mr. Swifte, K.C., yesterday, Edward Harten, publican, 17 Upper George's street, was prosecuted by Sergeant Hamilton (12 F) for allowing the sale and consumption of intoxicating liquor on his premises at 9.30 p.m. on Friday, 23rd June, in contravention of the Order of the Recorder. Mr. Kinahan (instructed by Mr. C. Friery) defended. The defence was that in the absence of Mr. Harten, an assistant had admitted a friend, and had asked him to have a drink. There was no payment. Mr. Harten was asleep upstairs at the time, but had given his assistant liberty to treat friends. Mr. Harten, who stated he was in bed ill since early that evening, said his view was that he could give refreshments to a genuine friend. His Worship said the defendant's record was good. He would like to consider the Recorder's Order, and he, therefore, adjourned the case for a week.

J. C. Parkes and Son Employees Excursion.—On Saturday last the working staff of Messrs. J. C. Parkes and Son, Ltd., held their second annual excursion. The party, numbering about 80, left the Coombe in seven brakes, and after a pleasant drive reached "The Scalp," where a very interesting programme of sports was brought off. Afterwards a very substantial tea was provided. After tea dancing was indulged in by some of the party. Others made their way to the famous wishing stone. After the presentation of prizes coffee was served, and a start was made for home about 9.30. The Committee in charge of the arrangements thanked the firm for their financial aid, and the concessions granted to the employés, and also the friends who gave prizes for the sports.

Organ Recital at St. Patrick's, Greystones.—An interesting musical programme was given in St. Patrick's Church, Greystones, on Wednesday evening. Dr. Hewson, of the Chapel Royal, interpreted with skill selections from Hollins, Holmes, and Dvorak. Mr. Whiston Page and Mrs. McCormick's vocal items were rendered with great feeling. The augmented choir, under the direction of Mrs. Danford, contributed selections from the Cantata, "God is Love." As a result of the recital the Treasurer is enabled to hand over £11 to the local War Work Depôt.

MUNSTER HEROES.

MEDALS PRESENTED AT AGHADA.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CORK, THURSDAY.

Major-General Doran, Commanding the Southern District, visited Aghada to present decorations from the King and the President of the French Republic to men of the Royal Munster Fusiliers. Amongst those in attendance were Lieut.-Colonel Brasier-Creagh, Major McGillicuddy, and Lieut. Buey, Adjutant. Acting Sergeant M. Butler and Corporal P. J. Lenihan were each awarded the D.C.M. for conspicuous gallantry, and Sergeant P. Victory the Médaille Militaire. Good conduct medals were presented to Quartermaster-Sergeant Barrett, Com. Sergt.-Major Underhay, Sergt. M. Carroll, and Corporal G. Tiller.

Major-General Doran congratulated those who had won Distinguished Conduct Medals for bravery on the field, and he hoped that all the young fellows on parade would emulate the examples that had been set to them by these heroic men. These men did what they thought was right in a great emergency; while, on the other hand, the long service medallist was a man possessed of a high sense of duty, of self-respect, and integrity of character. Anyone earning that medal could look every man straight in the face. In conclusion, Major-General Doran complimented the commanding officer on the conduct of the men in his charge.

WAR SAVINGS.

The National War Savings Committee issues the following report with respect to the sale of war savings certificates and Post Office Exchequer Bonds during the week ending July 15th:—15s. 6d. war savings certificates issued in the United Kingdom on July 10th, 322,768; July 11th, 345,558; July 12th, 225,427; July 13th, 348,318; July 14th, 198,195; July 15th, 427,666—total for week, 1,867,934.

Total for England and Wales	1,636,751
Total for Scotland	194,111
Total for Ireland	37,072
Aggregate to date for England and Wales	9,643,085
For Scotland	802,613
For Ireland	252,788
Total	10,698,486

Post Office Exchequer Bonds—£5, £20, £50—Already reported, 800,000 applications, aggregating 26 millions sterling. Issued in week ending July 15th, 19,000 applications, aggregating £650,000. Total to date, 819,000 applications, aggregating £26,650,000.

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50 COCKS Old Meadow, at same place, at 1 p.m. on same day, for another account.
200 COCKS 1st Crop, at Oldtown, Co. Dublin, MONDAY NEXT, JULY 31st, at 12.30 p.m., for J. Moran, Esq.
80 COCKS Old Meadow, at Roganstown, Swords, same day at 2 p.m., for A. J. Kettle, Esq.
400 COCKS Old Meadow, at Killeek, St. Margaret's, TUESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 1st, at 12 noon, for William Keeling, Esq.
200 COCKS Old Meadow, at Loughbarn, Margaretstown, Skerries, same day at 3 p.m., for Laurence Clinton, Esq.
200 COCKS Old Meadow, at Esker, Lucan, WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 2nd, at 12.30 p.m., for John Duff, Esq.
150 COCKS Old Meadow, at Rogerstown (near Lusk Station), FRIDAY, AUGUST 4th, at 2.30 p.m., for M. Kiely, Esq.
50 COCKS Old Meadow, at Tyrellstown Little, Lusk, same day at 3.30 p.m., for T. Rogers, Esq.
600 COCKS Old Meadow, at Kilsallaghan, Co. Dublin, at an early date, for Mrs. Manning.
MEADOWS—8 Acres Old Meadows at Priestown, Kilrue, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), JULY 28th, at 3 p.m., for T. M'Gregor, Esq., and 5 Acres Choice 2nd Crop Meadows at Killeen House, 7th Lock, Inchicore, WEDNESDAY NEXT, AUGUST 2nd, 1916, at 11 a.m., for St. Leger Stoney, Esq.
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LOT 1.—That very valuable Freehold Farm of Land situate in the Townland of Dundermot, County Antrim, as lately in the occupation of Mr. Robert Morrow, containing 71 acres 1 rood and 11 perches statute measure, or thereabouts, held in Fee Simple, subject to the yearly annuity of £26 12s. 6d., payable to the Irish Land Commission, and in conjunction with other lands to the payment of the yearly rent of 11s. to the Earl of Antrim.
LOT 2.—All that very valuable Freehold Farm of Land in said Townland of Dundermot, at present in the occupation of the Misses Caroline and Nannie Morrow, containing 31 acres 3 roods and 19 perches statute measure, or thereabouts, and held in Fee Simple subject to the payment of the yearly annuity of £9 4s. 0d. to the Irish Land Commission, and also in conjunction with the lands mentioned in Lot 1 to the payment of the yearly rent of 11s. to the Earl of Antrim.
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MACHINERY.

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BRAY—Large Bedroom Wanted, facing sea, for second week in August.—H 495, this office. D
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HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

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HOWTH—Thormanby Lodge, two sitting, six bedrooms, hot, cold, large grounds, wooded, beautifully situated; also Cottage, one sitting, three bedrooms, servant's, curtilage, own well, plentiful; both near tram, sea; Furnished; perfect sanitation; seen daily. Apply Owner.
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WANTED, second week in August, Furnished House, three or four Bedrooms; Sutton or Malahide; moderate.—302, Irish Times Office, Bray. D
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COMFORTABLE Apartments Wanted, August, Courtown or Howth, two double bedded rooms, sittingroom.—H 465, this office.
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ROLL OF HONOUR.

CLERY—July 24, 1916, killed in action, NOEL CAIRNS CLERY, Captain R.F.A., youngest son of Surgeon-General and Mrs. Clery, of Blackheath, London, aged 25. R.I.P.
DONALDSON—July 19, 1916, killed in action, Captain GEOFFREY BOLES DONALDSON, aged 22, dearly-loved only son and child of E. Donaldson, M.B., Physician and Surgeon, late of Londonderry; having "gallantly" led his company through the first and second line of German trenches, and pierced through to the third German line. Motto—"Promptus." Cork and Derry papers please copy.
PIERCE—July 19, 1916, died from wounds received in action, Rifleman JOHN PIERCE, New Zealand Rifle Brigade, son of William and Elizabeth Pierce, Ballycale, Gorey, Co. Wexford. "Thy will be done."
SIDES—Missing since August 7, 1915, now reported killed in action, Private WILLOUGHBY SIDES, 2002, Manchester Regiment, aged 21 years, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sides, Old Trafford, Manchester.
WHITTY—July 8, 1916, killed in action, Lieutenant J. L. WHITTY, Leinster Regiment (attached R.F.C.), third son of Lieutenant-Colonel M. J. Whitty, R.A.M.C., aged 22. R.I.P.

BIRTHS.

BROWN—July 14, 1916, at Mrs. Gavin's Private Hospital, North Frederick street, Rutland square, Dublin, the wife of ARTHUR E. BROWN, First Lieutenant 4th Battalion Leinster Regiment, son of A. Brown, of Palmeria, Douglas road, Cork, and youngest daughter of the late Captain W. P. Rumley, Royal Marine Light Infantry, of a son.
COURTENAY—July 23, 1916, at Rock Cottage, Waterford, to Mr. and Mrs. REX COURTENAY, Redgeville, Tramore, a son.
DUGGAN—July 27, 1916, at 3 York avenue, Rathmines, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DUGGAN, a daughter.
MACNEVIN—July 25, 1916, at 40 Brighton square, Rathgar, the wife of RICHARD C. MACNEVIN, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

CHADWICK AND JUDGE—At the Church of St. John the Baptist, Clontarf, by the Rev. Fr. Meehan, C.C., JAMES, second son of the late JOHN CHADWICK, C.P.S., and Mrs. CHADWICK, Borrisoleigh, Co. Tipperary, to KATHLEEN (LENA), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. JUDGE, 3 Rostrevor terrace, Clontarf.
LAWRENSON AND WILSON—July 17, 1916, at Belfast, by special licence, CYRIL ARTHUR LAWRENSON, Lieutenant 3rd Royal Irish Regiment, youngest son of Thomas Dowse Lawrenson and Mrs. Lawrenson, 18 Dartmouth square, Leeson Park, Dublin, to EDITH HELENA, third daughter of the late PATRICK WILSON, "Lansdowne," Fortwilliam Park, Belfast, and Mrs. WILSON, Royal terrace, Bangor, Co. Down.
M'DONALD AND ROBSON—July 18, 1916, in the Parish Church, Bangor, Co. Down, by the Lord Bishop of Derry and Raphoe, assisted by the Rev. J. A. Carey, Rector of the Parish, the Rev. JOHN REGINALD M'DONALD, son of John R. M'Donald, Cranagill, Annaghmore, Co. Armagh, to NORA ANNETTE, elder daughter of the late JOHN ROBSON, and of Mrs. ROBSON, Glenoe, Bangor, Co. Down.
RICHARDS AND COBB—July 27, 1916, at the Oratory, South Kensington, by the Rev. Wilfrid Burnham, ALGERNON GEORGE HADEN, younger son of the Rev. A. J. RICHARDS, Rector of Farlington, Hants, and Mrs. RICHARDS, to MARGARET, younger daughter of the late GEORGE ARTHUR COBB, of Lively Island, Falkland Islands, and Mrs. COBB, 56 Madeley road, Ealing.
RICHMOND AND KELLY—July 8, 1916, at the Consulate, Alexandria, Egypt, Captain ARTHUR EATON RICHMOND, eldest son of Richard Richmond, M.D., of Wimbledon, to MARGARET MAY, daughter of WILLIAM KELLY, Esq., of Tuam, Co. Galway.

DEATHS.

CLEARY—July 28, 1916, at her residence, Derby terrace, Tipperary, Miss CLEARY, Organist. Funeral to-day (Saturday) to New Cemetery. Office and High Mass St. Michael's, Tipperary, 9 o'clock. R.I.P.
GRAHAM—July 27, 1916, at Crossland Crescent, Peebles, Miss JESSIE GRAHAM.
MACKINTOSH—July 25, 1916, at his residence, 207 Collingwood street, Kitsilano, Vancouver, B.C., ANGUS FREDERICK ROSS MACKINTOSH, Solicitor, youngest son of the late Patrick Mackintosh, J.P., formerly Manager Ulster Bank, Newtownards. (By cable.)
ROBINSON—July 27, 1916, at Letterdyfe House, Roundstone, HENRY ARTHUR, aged 66, dearly-beloved husband of ANNIE M. ROBINSON, and eldest son of the late George James Robinson, of Thomastown House, Ballyglass, Co. Mayo. Funeral to Roundstone, 3 o'clock, to-day (Saturday).
SHERIDAN—July 28, 1916, at his residence, Athlumney, Navan, PATRICK SHERIDAN. Funeral from Johnstown R.C. Church to-morrow (Sunday), at 2 o'clock, to New Cemetery. R.I.P.
WHITEHEAD—July 27, 1916, at 3 Rosecroft avenue, Hampstead, OLIVE DARLEY (PINKIE), aged 21 years and 11 months, youngest and dearly-loved daughter of the late ARTHUR WHITEHEAD, of Brindle Lodge, near Preston, Lancashire, and Mrs. ARTHUR WHITEHEAD, of 11 Lexham Gardens, London, S.W., and grand-daughter of the late Right Honble. Sir Frederick Darley, P.C., G.C.M.G., Chief Justice and Lieutenant-Governor of the State of New South Wales, Australia. Australian papers please copy.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT.

MRS. RICHARDSON and family desire to return sincere thanks to all who sent letters and telegrams of sympathy on the occasion of their recent sad bereavement.—St. Donlough's, Co. Dublin.

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CONGESTED DISTRICTS BOARD FOR IRELAND.
RYEHILL HOUSE, MONIVEA.
The Board have for Sale at the above House a Mantelpiece, believed to be of Italian workmanship, white Cararra marble, inlaid with Landscape Scenes in coloured marble. The Mantelpiece measures 4' 4" high by 6' 5" wide, top leaf 7' 2". It has been removed from the building in perfect condition. It may be inspected at any time by arrangement on communicating with the Board's Inspector, Mr. A. A. McArdle, Ryehill, Monivea, Athenry. Offers should be forwarded to the Secretary, Congested Districts Board, 23 Rutland square, Dublin, not later than 1st September, in envelope, marked "Ryehill House: Tender for Mantelpiece." Offers are also invited for the fine Grate which was fitted to the above Mantel.

GARDEN, &c., CONTINUED.

ALSO Sow Drummond's Flower of Spring Cabbage, 1/- per ounce; Mein's No. 1, per ounce 10d.; Drummond's Improved Nonpareil and Ellam's Early Dwarf, 9d. per ounce; Early Rainham, 6d. per ounce; Drummond's First of All, Drummond's All the Year Round, Drummond's Early Harbinger, Drummond's Improved Winningstadt, each 1/- per packet.—W. Drummond and Sons, Ltd., 57 and 58 Dawson st., Dublin. 24 E
ANTIRRHINUMS (Snapdragon), strong flowering plants, beautiful shades, Pink, Crimson, Orange, White, also "Nelrose," New Pink, 1/- dozen, 24 1/6, 50 3/- and 4/-, 100 5/- and 6/-, postage 4d.—Ramsay, Nurseries, Ballsbridge. E
CHOOSE your Roses when in bloom—30,000 now flowering at Watson's Nurseries, including all the newest varieties up to date.—Watson's, Nurseries, Clontarf (only 15 minutes' tram journey from Nelson's Pillar). 8 25
CELERY Plants, strong, transplanted, best crisp, nutty flavoured varieties, pink and white, 2/- and 2/6 100, 50 1/3 and 1/6, free, with full cultural directions.—Ramsay, Nurseries, Ballsbridge. E
CABBAGE Plants, York, Savoy, Borecole, Flat Dutch, Drumhead, 9d. (6/- 1,000, packing 1/-); Lettuce, Brussels Sprouts, 1/-; Onions, Broccoli, 4 varieties, for succession, 1/6, all per 100, post free 6d. per 100 extra.—Ramsay, Nurseries, Ballsbridge. E
CAULIFLOWER Plants, Early London, Veitches, Autumn Giant, strong, spring sown, transplanted, 2/- 100, 50 1/3, free.—Ramsay, Nurseries, Ballsbridge. E
COOPER'S Weedicide, for destroying weeds on garden paths, carriage drives, etc.; agents everywhere. T
CABBAGE—Sow now Edmondson's splendid strains; Nonpareil, 6d. oz.; Ellam's and Offenham, 9d. oz.; Best of All and Flower of Spring, 1/- oz.—Edmondson's, 10 Dame st., Dublin. T
CABBAGE Seeds—Rountree's celebrated Seeds, Prize Drumhead, Flat Dutch, Large York, Curleys, Early Emperor, Mein's No. 1, and Earliest of All, 6d. per ounce; 3 ounces post paid.—Agent, B. Sullivan, Seed Merchant, Cavan. 6 26
DICKSON'S Hawlmark Cabbage Seeds for July and August sowing—Excelsior Offenham, Millecross, Marrow, Enfield Market, 8d. ounce, 3d. packet; Champion Drumhead, 4d. ounce, 2d. packet; Prize Winner Flat Dutch, 6d. ounce, 2d. packet.—61 Dawson st., Dublin. 24 7
DICKSON'S Hawlmark Onion Seeds for Autumn sowing—Ailsa Craig, 3/- ounce, 1/- packet; Lemon Rocca, 1/2 ounce, 4d. packet; White Lisbon, 1/- ounce, 4d. packet.—61 Dawson st., Dublin. 24 7
DICKSON'S Hawlmark Seeds for Autumn sowing—Cauliflower, 1/6 ounce, 6d. packet; Spinach Beet, 6d. ounce, 2d. packet; Lettuce, Winter Peas, 1/6 ounce, 6d. packet; All Year Round, 3d. ounce, 3d. packet; Spinach, Longstanding Prickly, 3d. ounce; Flower Seeds in variety, 3d., 6d., and 1/- packet.—Alex. Dickson and Sons, Ltd., Hawlmark, 61 Dawson st., Dublin. 24 7
HAY for Sale, about Ten Tons. Apply to the Gardener, South Hill, Upper Rathmines. O
IRISH Honey—Wanted New Season's, in sections and bottles. State lowest price to Enfield Dairy Co., Crumlin road, Belfast. B
JOHNSON Hay Tethers, for immediate delivery.—M'Gee, Great Strand st. T
McKENZIE'S Cabbage, best for present sowing; Vanguard, 10d.; Ellam's, 8d.; Offenham, 8d.; April, 10d.; Harbinger, 10d. oz., post free.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd., Great Brunswick st., Dublin. 26 19
McKENZIE'S Onions for autumn sowing—Giant Rocca, 1/4; Giant Red Italian, 1/2; White Lisbon, 1/- oz.; Ailsa Craig and Cranston's Excelsior, 6d., 1/- packets.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd. 26 19
McKENZIE'S Lettuce, All the Year Round, 1/-; Stanstead Park and Favourite, 10d. oz., and all the leading varieties.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd. 26 19
McKENZIE'S Fruit Bottles, all the best kinds, four series and several sizes, prices complete from 5/6, Wide Neck, 6/-; Kilner, one, two, three, tonneau, 6/6, 6/6, 7/6; 9/- dozen; list free.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd. 26 19
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McKENZIE'S Garden Remedies—Abol Worm Killer, 1/-, 1/9; Katakilla, for caterpillars, 3d., 1/-; Slugene, for Slugs, 6d., 1/-; Niques, for green fly, 1/-; 1/6; McKensicite, for celery spot, 1/; all the principal Insecticides stocked; catalogues and all information on application.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd., Great Brunswick st., Dublin. 26 19
McKENZIE'S Coir Yarn, in Dhollis, 30/- cwt., 4/- stone.—Thomas McKenzie and Sons, Ltd. 26 19
MACKEY'S Cabbage Seeds for Autumn Sowing—Earliest of All, 1/6 per ounce; Early Champion, Improved Nonpareil, Selected Offenham, Flower of Spring, each per ounce 1/-; Ellam's Early, 9d.; Mein's No. 1, 10d.; Enfield Market, 6d.; Champion Drumhead and Flat Dutch, each 6d., post free.—Mackey's, Ltd., 23 Upper Sackville st., Dublin. 12 26
MACKEY'S Onions for Autumn Sowing—Red Italian, White Italian, Globe Tripoli, 1/2 per ounce; Giant Rocca, Lemon Rocca, each per ounce 1/4; White Lisbon, 1/-; Ailsa Craig, 2/6, post free.—Mackey's, Ltd., 23 Upper Sackville st., Dublin. 12 26
MACKEY'S Turnips for Autumn Sowing—Veitch's Red Globe, Orange Jelly, Chirk Castle, White Stone, each per ounce 4d.; Selected Snowball, 8d.; Perpetual or Spinach and Seakale Beet, each 8d. per ounce; Early London Cauliflower, 1/3; All the Year Round Lettuce, 1/-; Stanstead Park, 10d., post free.—Mackey's, Ltd., 23 Upper Sackville st., Dublin. 12 26
NETTING—Strongest Tanned Netting for protecting fruit; about 4 yards wide, 100 yards 22/6, 50 yards 11/6, 25 yards 6/-; about 2 yards wide, 100 yards 11/6, 50 yards 6/-, 25 yards 3/6.—Edmondson's, 10 Dame st., Dublin. T

GARDEN, &c., CONTINUED.

NEW Potatoes Wanted. State price on rail to J. C. Rollins and Co., 6 Chichester Market, Belfast. Contractors to Admiralty. B
ONIONS are scarce and very dear; to procure cheaply sow now White Lisbon, 1/- oz.; Giant Rocca, Tripoli, 1/4 oz.; Red and White Italian Tripoli, 1/2 oz.—Edmondson's, 10 Dame st., Dublin. T
POTTING Mould, finest quality, specially prepared, 1/-, 1/6 bushel; 2 bushels, 2/-, 2/6 delivered.—Ramsay, Nurseries, Ballsbridge. E
ROWAN'S Garden Tonics—Eclipse Fish Guano, for Roses, Sweet Peas, Tomatoes; trial bag, 2/6; Nitrate of Soda, Sulphate of Ammonia, 4lbs., 2/6, free.—51 Capel street. 6 22
ROWAN'S Garden Helps—Ideal Sprayers, 2/10, at 1 bottle; Niquas, 2/-; Quassia Extract, 1/6; Abol, 2/- per pint, post free; Katakilla Powder, 1/4 packet makes 10 gallons of greenfly wash. 6 22
ROWAN'S New List of Seeds for present sowing—please ask for copy. Seed Specialists.—51 Capel street, Dublin. 6 22
ROWAN'S, Agents for Little's Weed's Killer, "The great labour saver," 1 gallon 4/-, 2 gallons 6/6, 5 gallons 14/-, carriage extra. Seed Specialists.—51 Capel street, Dublin. 6 22
VEGETABLES and Fruit for Sale. Apply Gardener, Ashfield, Stillorgan road, Donnybrook. O

POULTRY, CAGE BIRDS, DAIRY, FISH, ETC.

12/9 CWT.—Feeding Wheatmeal; Eoline Feeding Meal, 12/9; Castalia Poultry Mixture, 14/3; Castalia Poultry Meal, 14/3; Barley and Oat Sussex, 12/3; Secondary Wheat, 13/3; carriage paid, cash with order. All 3d. per cwt. less if 4 cwts. taken in all. ABRAHAM NEILL, Ltd., Castalia Mills, Belfast.
A1 POULTRY Foods of all kinds can be had from Glen Mill Stores, Exchequer st., Dublin. 78 1
A WHITE Wyandotte Cockerel and six Hens for Sale; also Indian Game.—Turritella, Ballsbridge. B
AUSTRALIAN Love Birds or Parakeets Wanted, pair, young birds—Harry Borbidge, Clonee. E
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COCKERELS—White Leghorns (Pyne-Cam), 5/-, 7/6, Barred Rock, 5/6, 7/6, 10/-; none later on.—Staples, Dunmore, Durrow, Queen's Co. D
FOR Sale, New Laid Eggs at moderate price apply Miss Horgan, Delturbet. E
FOR Sale, 9 young Hens, 1915, all laying, also young Cock, 35/-.—67 Albert road, Kingstown. E
FOR Sale, 20 Good Cockerels, over 3 months.—Ardmore, Oughterard. B
HEN and nine Chickens for Sale, price 6/6.—H 28, Irish Times Office, Kingstown.
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R.I.R.—30 Cockerels and Pullets, prize bred, Mason's strain; seen by appointment.—L. Johnston, Beverston, Dundrum.
ROASTING Fowls, 4/6 per pair; Boiling, 3/6; trussed, carriage paid. Address "Z 877, Fowls," this office. E
TWO Pure Bred Black Minorca Cockerels, February hatched; 6/6 each.—305, Irish Times Office, Bray. E
WANTED, Six Pullets, March or April hatched, light breed.—Hobson, 28 Burlington road. E
6 PURE Bred Aylesbury Ducks and 2 Drakes, 11 weeks, 3/- each.—Gurthreeva, Oughterard.
6 PURE Bred Aylesbury Ducklings, 7 weeks, 1/6 each.—Gorthreeva, Oughterard.
10 GUINEA Fowl Chicks, month old, with Hen, 13/-; 10, week old, with Hen, 8/-.—Miss Mitchell, Henry, Bunnabohee, Letterfrack, Co. Galway. D
27 THREE Week Old Chicks, also 31 Chicks, with Mothers, for Sale.—H 421, this office.
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FOR country Club—Required, good Secondhand Piano (Cottage Piano, Baby or Boudoir Grand); please give particulars, maker, lowest cash price, etc.; Player Piano, if moderate price, considered.—H 146, this office. 6 24
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MAY'S Tuning Department—Cottage Pianos, 3/6; city, annually, 10/6; first class workmen. C
PIANO Orchestrion, with opera music, etc., played by methylated spirit motor, handsome wooden frame, for sale.—H 427, this office. D
WANTED, Secondhand Cottage Piano or Pianette, reasonable cash price; no dealers.—H 134, this office. 6 24
WANTED, Cottage Piano, Collard or good maker, for school—secondhand.—H 380, this office. D
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FOR Sale, unusually handsome Satinwood Corner Cupboard.—H 182, this office. D
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FINE Persian and Turkey Carpets, various sizes. Seen, after 6.30, 39 Sandymount road. B
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PROFESSIONAL Man has for immediate Sale Contents of well Furnished House.—H 283, this office.
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SECONDHAND Furniture—A large quantity of Secondhand Furniture, cheap, marked in plain figures for cash.—Carey and Ashenhurst, 138 Lower Baggot st. T
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WANTED, Chest of Drawers and Glasscase or Bureau, or separately.—H 135, this office. 6 24
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WANTED, extra large Black Oak Sideboard; state price.—H 502, this office. D

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ABOUT Clothes—Mrs. Higgins, 1 Aston's quay, gives highest prices for Ladies', Gents', and Children's Left Off Clothing, Jewellery, Artificial Teeth; country parcels promptly attended.
A—£1,000 WORTH Left Off Clothes Wanted for immediate exportation; I guarantee to pay double as much as other dealers; I make no misleading statements; country parcels answered immediately.—Mrs. Brodie, 21 Wellington quay.

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AT T. J. Callaghan and Co., 13 to 16 Dame st.—Military Saddles, Bridles, Wallets, Breastplates. T
BLACK or Brown Pony and Donkey Harness, all handsewn; large stock.—Frank Callaghan, 11 Dame st., Dublin. T
BEAUTIFUL turn out, nice Cob, gone 5 years, splendid action, quiet, well bred, pedigree, stand vet.; the latest style Trap, rubber tyres and brown harness, the lot cost £105, will sell for £80; rare chance.—H 542, this office. E
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FOR Sale, Pony, about 14 hands, 8 years old, black, fast, strong, surefooted; also Inside Trap (Aylesbury Bros.) and Set of Brass-mounted Harness; all in good condition; guaranteed genuine sale. Apply to Rev. W. Scully, Rectory, Blessington. E
HARNESS—If you want a nice Set for your Pony, Cob, or Horse, inspect our stock.—T. Smith and Son, 95 Marlborough st. T
LADY'S Secondhand Side Saddle for Sale, cheap; good condition.—H 485, this office. C
PONY, Trap and Harness, £28; superior London built Ralli; also square Inside Car for 15 hands.—5 Belgrave road, Rathmines. D
PONY, 3 years old, by Kosmos Bey, trained to all harness; Trap, with new tyres, rims, and done as new, and Harness complete, or would Sell separately.—Joseph Early, Swords. E
SMALL Pony, 11½ hands; Governess Trap and Harness; Trap, with rubber tyres, suitable for children or lady to drive; lot £16 10/-.—Burke, Coal Factor, Erne st., Westland Row.
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WANTED, Cart Harness for pony 13 hands, new or secondhand.—Carson, Broomfield, Malahide. B
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LARGE rubber tyred Tax Cart, in perfect condition, very cheap.—City Wheel Works, Ltd., Great Brunswick street. B
OUTSIDE Car, large rubber tyres; Ralli Carts, Round Car, suit 12 to 15 hands.—Denehey's, Baggot st. D
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WHEELS Re-rubbered and despatched same day as received.—Slye's, Mabbot lane, Dublin. 78 29
WANTED, good light Outside Car; state particulars and price.—F 1948, this office. 3 5
WANTED, good Van and Harness, or small Float, for cob 15 hands.—E. Hull, Kill-o'-Grange. D
WANTED, Spring Cart or Van, suit pony about 14; also Cart Harness, both good condition. State lowest price to "Z 910, Cart," this office. E

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BELGIAN Hare Rabbits, carriage paid, four shillings, two months.—Highfield, Omagh. 6 24
BLUE Persian Kitten, 12/6; house trained, pure bred.—63 Lower Beechwood avenue. C
COWS for Sale, pure bred Kerry Springer, also Dexter and Ayrshire, newly calved.—Glenageary Park, Kingstown. Apply to Steward. E
FERRETS, strong, healthy, full grown, workers; 8/- a pair.—Gamekeeper, Cabra, Kingscourt. D
SPRINGER, also young Cow, third calf, excellent milker.—Torquay Cottage, Foxrock. E
SALE, Goat, milking, young, price, 10/-; also Male Kid.—Kent House, Dalkey. B
WANTED, large York Boar, 12 months old; state price delivered at Kingsbridge. Address H 297, this office. O
WANTED, three good Working Ferrets. Apply Steward, Dunran, Ashford, Co. Wicklow.
WANTED good Home for Half Bred Persian Kitten (female).—37 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar. D
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CHAMPION Bred Smooth Fox Terriers, females, 4 months, sure prize winners; cheap, approval, £1 each.—Lucas, Roscrea. B
COCKERS, quality, Puppies, various colours, "Dashing Ben," "Lady Flora." Particulars, Pettigrew, Enniscorthy. E
FOR Sale, Wire Fox Terrier Puppies, best "Notts" blood, splendid pedigree.—Wilson, 15 Woodvale road, Belfast. B
FOR Sale, a pure bred Red Irish Setter Dog, second season; large and good looking; trial; £7 10s.—James Caulfield, Lowtown, Ballydangan, Ballinasloe. 6 28
FOR Sale, Airedale Dog, 14 months old, pure bred; 30/-.—Odlum, Huntington, Portarlington. E
IRISH Red Setter Bitch, three years, well trained, steady on grouse and all game; three days' trial given.—Robert Sheridan, Strand Hotel, Dugort, Achill. D

DOGS CONTINUED.

IRISH Red Setters for Sale, two dogs ex Laurels, winner of three first prizes and Breeders' Cup at L.K.A. and Richmond Championship Shows; one of these dogs won 1st and 3rd prize; they are by ch. Kheola Toby, 13 months old, and grand strong dogs.—M. Quinn, Castlebar.
POINTER, black and white, ticked dog, second season, wide and fast ranger, steady in point, and free from chase; trial; deposit; price £10. Apply W. E. Benn, Bank House, Cahersiveen, Co. Kerry. O
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WANTED, a House, well bred Irish Terrier (1 year old); owner going away.—H 259, this office.
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GENTLEWOMAN (English) requires re-engagement to young children; English, French, Latin (elem.), drawing (cert.), music, drill; excellent testimonials.—Miss Mills, c/o Mrs. Hastings Jones, Portland, Enskey.
KINGSTOWN—Lady would teach and look after children, mornings or afternoons.—H. A., Irish Times Office, Kingstown. C
LADYLIKE Girl desires post, Nursery Governess, seaside; usual lessons; small salary; obliging.—H 415, this office. C
LOYALTY March, composed by Albert Coates, author of Inspiration and Admiration Waltz. 8 25
LADYLIKE Girl desires post Nursery Governess—first lessons, music, sew; highly recommended.—Kerr's Agency, Wicklow.
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STAMMERING and other Speech Defects—A speedy and permanent Cure. Call or write to Professor Burke, B.A., Classrooms, 35 York st., Dublin. E
WOMAN Graduate (Hons.), T.C.D., desires engagement in Dublin School, September, principally Elementary Mathematics.—H 466, this office. E

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ASSISTANT Mistress Wanted for Girls' High School, North; qualified to teach usual class subjects, particularly to Lower Forms; salary, Resident, about £40. Address "Z 795, Mistress," this office. E
LESSONS Wanted in French Conversation, from French Lady, at teacher's residence; state terms, moderate.—22, Irish Times Office, Baggot st. Bridge.
STUDENT Teacher Wanted in September, Protestant Grammar School; helps approved by Department. Address "Z 669, Teacher," this office. 6 22
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TUTOR required for Boy of 15, to teach (not grind) for Matriculation of N.U.I.; state terms, references.—H 489, this office. E
WANTED, Substitute for period of the war for Riverstown N.S.; salary £60 per annum; Irish Church.—Rev. John Allen, Riverstown, Co. Sligo. B
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WANTED, August, holiday Tuition and Games for two Boys, three hours daily, Foxrock. Saturdays and Sundays excepted; £2.—H 515, this office. D
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A SELECT Private Class for Junior Pupils will be opened at 66 Frankfort avenue, Rathgar, on September 4th. Subjects—English, music, French, Class Singing, Drill. The usual Class for more advanced pupils will be re-opened at same date.
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